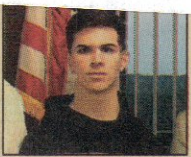


**Elba senior leads  
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# The Elba Clipper

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## Elba Rec Center voters will go to Elba Church of Christ now Coffee County makes voting location change in Elba prior to next Tuesday's Primary Elections

Elba voters who have become accustomed to voting at the Elba Recreation Center (Old National Guard Armory) on Claxton Avenue need to remember their voting place next Tuesday, March 3, 2020 has been moved to the Elba Church of Christ on the Troy Highway, across from Windham Lumber Co.

This move was necessary due to major structural issues in the foundation of the Recreation Center gym area. Those issues

make the facility unsafe unless major repairs are made.

Engineers have examined the deteriorated foundation and made cost estimates on those repairs. City officials have discussed undertaking the massive repair project.

Another option that will be considered by city officials in Elba is tearing down the gymnasium part of the structure and possibly rebuilding it with completely new material.

### During Elba City Council meeting this week

## Code enforcement officer updates council members on current FEMA flood buyout program in Elba

by Linda Hodge, Editor

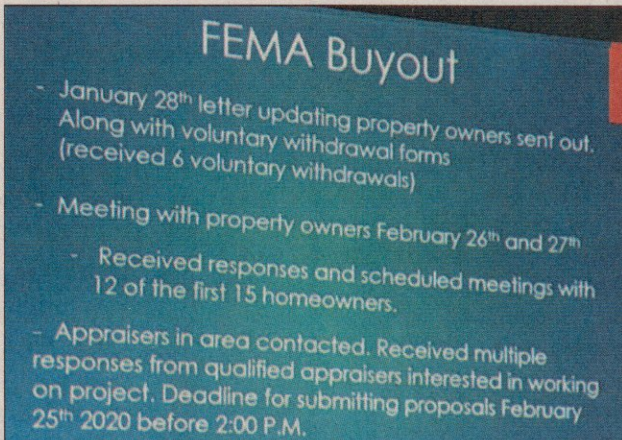
During the Elba City Council meeting held Monday night, Feb. 24, at Elba City Hall, code enforcement officer Bryson Dear updated council members on the progress of the FEMA home buyout project stemming from the 2015 Christmas flood of Elba.

Recently, the federal government released the funds for this buyout program, and city officials have been progressing towards fulfilling that buyout.

Dear said a letter was sent out to property owners on Jan. 28th regarding the matter. This document also included voluntary withdrawal forms, and he said he had received six voluntary withdrawals since sending the documents to property owners.

Dear said responses had been received from 12 of the first 15 homeowners in the buyout program, and meetings were scheduled with those homeowners on Feb. 26th and 27th.

Also, Dear said appraisers in the area had been



contacted, and he had received multiple responses from qualified appraisers showing interest in working with the city on this project.

Dear said he felt good about the progress that had been made on this buyout project since the time the city was able to get the ball rolling after the federal government released the funds for the project. He said there is lots of work ongoing daily on this project and will continue.

Also while addressing the council, Dear provided an update on code enforcement projects in regards to structures deemed unsafe.

Since he came on board

as the code enforcement officer, he said he had opened 13 new cases and reopened five other cases.

Overall, Dear said 153 cases had been closed by the city with 211 opened. He noted that is a 72.5 percent closure rate.



**ELBA PARKS AND RECREATION HOSTS HEALTHY LIVING EXPO...**The Magic of Nutrition Healthy Living Expo held last Saturday, Feb. 22, in downtown Elba proved to be educational and fun for all who attended. There were food demonstrations helping attendees realize healthier ways to prepare some of their most favorite foods from chili to taco dip. There was a walking tour that not only provided exercise for those participating but also help teach them a little Elba history. There was dancing activities, and then, of course, there were jumpy houses and slides set up for the youngsters to enjoy. Above, Parrish Grantham was all smiles as she zoomed down the slide while several other youngsters made their way to the top to slide as well. See more from this event on Page 10 of today's paper.

## Elba Council approves work for police department façade

by Linda Hodge, Editor

The Elba City Council approved a bid Monday evening, Feb. 24, to allow work on the façade of the police department building in downtown Elba.

The council had received bid proposals from two companies - Catrett Construction and Parris Construction. The council awarded the work to Catrett Construction of Opp, Ala. in the amount of \$12,334. Council members said the building front would be painted a green color when the project is completed. They said this color would mimic the old dime store building on the square already upgraded a while back.

While on the subject of the police department, Police Chief Leslie Hussey told council members that the new CAD [Computer Aided Dispatch] System for the department would go live next Tuesday, March 3rd. He said training has been underway this week for the system.

"We are excited to get this system up and running," Hussey said.

The chief also told council members the department would begin advertising this week a police officer vacancy. He said the department is down one officer and needs to get that spot



The façade of the police department building in downtown Elba will soon get a facelift as Elba City Council members voted Monday night to award the project work to Catrett Construction of Opp, Ala.

filled.

He noted that two officers currently at the police academy would be finished with their training in a couple of weeks, and they would be returning to the force at that time.

He said getting those two officers back and hiring another one would get the department to a point where the others would not have to work as much overtime soon.

Chief Hussey discussed the ongoing Donta Rogers murder case. He said the department is still actively working this murder case.

Hussey said investigators need the weather to improve to allow them to be able to do some of the physical investigative work, and they also are still awaiting some results from forensics. However, he said the case remains very much open and active.

Assistant city clerk Pat Boothe told council members that street department employees had been busy recently working on the levee trying to ensure everything is ready for an upcoming Corp of Engineers inspection. She said a recent check on all the flood pumps found them to be in good working order.

In a review of the city's financials, Mayor Mickey Murdock said he was excited to see that sales tax income remains 5% higher for

the year-to-date figures this year compared to last year.

"I wouldn't have predicted it myself but hopefully it will keep going in this direction," Murdock said.

Overall, he said he is happy with the financials at this point for the city. He did not that salaries are higher than projected but feels this could be due to all the overtime within the police department due to an officer shortage there. He said hopefully that would even out as the year progresses.

The next Elba City Council meeting will be Monday, March 9, at 5:30 p.m.

## Elba BOE members approve resolution opposing school start date legislation

by Linda Hodge, Editor

The Elba Board of Education met Tuesday morning, Feb. 25, in a special meeting, and proposed legislation was the main reason for the meeting.

The board first noted its opposition to Alabama Amendment 1. Appointed Education Board Amendment that will be on the Primary Election ballots next Tuesday, March 3rd.

A 'yes' vote on this proposed amendment supports amending the Alabama Constitution to rename the State Board of Education as the Alabama Commission on Elementary and Secondary Education and change the board from being elected by voters to being appointed by the governor and confirmed by the State Senate.

A 'no' vote on this proposed amendment opposes amending the Alabama Constitution, thus not changing the name of the State Board of Education and continuing to allow voters to elect those representatives to the State Board of Education.

Members of the Elba Board of Education said

they support a 'no' vote next Tuesday on Amendment 1, and they encouraged all Elba citizens to join them in voting no on this matter.

The other matter addressed by the board during Tuesday's meeting was a resolution opposing school start date legislation.

Superintendent Chris Moseley had been updating the board on the possibility of members of the Alabama Legislature considering legislation this year that would outline school start and/or end dates for public schools in the State of Alabama.

Moseley said each local board of education already is required to Alabama Code to set a uniform start date for all schools within its system, which recognizes that school calendars are local decisions. He added that unique decisions take place in the 137 Alabama school systems regarding

student achievement, holiday preferences, community events, teacher professional development, partnerships with local colleges and universities, and workdays for educators to meet with parents.

## Area Happenings

**THE 2020 MISS ELBA PAGEANTS** will be held Saturday, Feb. 29, at the Elba High School auditorium beginning at 4 p.m. Queens will be crowned for Future Little Miss Elba, Little Miss Elba, Petite Miss Elba, Young Miss Elba, Teen Miss Elba, Junior Miss Elba, and Miss Elba.

**THE ELBA LIONS CLUB ANNUAL PANCAKE BREAKFAST** will be Saturday, March 7, from 6 - 10 a.m. at the Elba Senior Citizens building, located on the square in downtown Elba. The club is seeking a \$5 donation per plate.

See BOE Page 12

### NOTICE:

The 2020 Primary Elections in Alabama will be Tuesday, March 3, and polls will be open from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m.



EDITORIAL

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

*"Elections belong to the people. It's their decision. If they decide to turn their back on the fire and burn their behinds, then they will just have to sit on their blisters."* – Abraham Lincoln

Next Tuesday, March 3, Alabama voters will troop to the polls for their first chance to voice an opinion – at least collectively. Many Elba area voters will be voting at the Elba Church of Christ this year and NOT at the Claxton Avenue Recreation Center.

Both Democrats and Republicans will be voting on an amendment to the Alabama constitution. It will change the state board of education from an elective office to one appointed by the Governor. The Superintendent of Education will be named by this group and confirmed by the State Senate. There are strong forces on each side of this issue. A negative is that it removes the citizens from the selection process. A positive is in the terrible decisions that crop up from time to time from the elected Alabama School Board. Educators seem to want to keep the status quo rather than 'change' and that in itself can be good or bad. At this writing we will probably stick with what we have and vote NO on the amendment. It is often better to keep the devil you have rather than get one with unknown ideas and traits. However, Alabama schools continue to grade low on student achievement, attendance and graduation rates and it is not all 'money for education' issues.

The Republican ballot is long, but most of the names are people fighting to be a Republican Convention delegate – voting for Donald Trump for another term as president. We scanned the list and saw several names that were familiar, but not many. In our mind the easiest thing to do is vote in the top group which lists Donald Trump, Bill Weld and 'un-committed' and skip all 24 or so of the various delegate votes.

Democrats have far more candidate names to review in the presidential race. There are 14 candidates listed, even though some of them have already officially dropped out of the race.

There is one County Commission race on the Republican ballot. Incumbent Kim Ellis is challenged by Joseph M. "Mike" Bailey.

In the U. S. senator race, Republicans have seven choices. Pollsters sometimes can ask questions and announce numbers in a way to secretly help a particular candidate. However, in this race most pollsters are coming up with Jeff Sessions in the lead (also with almost \$2 million left in his war chests) and Bradley Byrne or Tommy Tuberville with a chance at being in the run-off with Sessions. We suspect that Sessions will ultimately be nominated as the Republican winner again but only after a lively runoff with one of the two other names above.

The Democrats will not see the U S Senate race on their ballot, as the incumbent Doug Jones is unopposed for the nomination.

The 2nd District House of Representatives race is wide open with the incumbent not seeking re-election. Again the polls show Dothan's Jeff Coleman leading. He is young (53), a businessman and spending lots of money on the campaign. Trailing him for a possible shot at a runoff is Elba native Troy King of Montgomery. Barry Moore of Enterprise ran a strong second two years ago but the crowded field has him probably at third place (or lower) in most polls. Coleman has faced some negative feedback over a federal court case dealing with false billing by employees of his moving company. We testified in a similar case years ago that was absolutely pie-in-the-sky charges (and the jury found the moving companies innocent) so we put little stock in Coleman's case charges.

The Democrats have two candidates in this race, Phyllis Harvey-Hall and Dothan's Nathan Mathis. Nathan is the better known but we have no idea what any polls are showing in this race. Either way, we expect the Republican to win. Republicans have held this seat since Goldwater race for President.

Greg Shaw has one opponent in his race for re-election to the Alabama Supreme Court. Cam Ward is well known around Alabama and a mover and shaker in the Alabama legislature. It bothers us a bit though that a candidate for the Supreme Court (Ward) is also running as a delegate to the political convention. The Democrats have no one on the ballot for this race.

Court of Civil Appeals Place #2 will have Phillip Bahakel and Matt Fridy on the Republican ballot. Each is as strange to us as their unusual last names. Nothing on the Democrat ballot here.


Republican incumbent Mary Windom is challenged by Melvin Hastings for the nomination Place #1 on the Court of Criminal Appeals. Again, no Democrat primary challenge in this race.

Place #2 in the Court of Criminal Appeals has three candidates. Jill Ganus, Beth Kellum (incumbent) and Will Smith. We hear no complaints on Kellum's work.

President of the Public Service Commission Twinkle Andress Cavanaugh (Republican) is seeking re-election and is facing Robin Litaker. The Democrats have two candidates in this race also. Laura Casey and Robert L Mardis, III.

The balance of both ballots is a confused listing of citizens wanting to be a delegate to their respective party convention.

Please do vote on Tuesday. But first study the candidates and vote for the betterment of America.



Cuzin Lou Lou's  
Tales from Yonder

Editor's Note: Cuzin Lou Lou's comments are best delivered using your biggest Southern drawl, lol!

Cuzin Lou Lou has been doing a little reading in preparation for the upcoming Primary Elections... Now, she doesn't get too involved in political candidate debates but there is a proposed amendment on the ballot that caused her to take a double-take look.

Amendment 1 proposes to change the State Board of Education to a Commission and make the members appointed persons rather than the elected officials we currently have on the school board.

Lou Lou is definitely not a fan of politicians as a whole, especially if they are more concerned with satisfying their political party fellows than they are in doing what is right for the citizens they represent.

But, regarding this particular matter, can't help but think having elected representatives for the state school leaders would be much better than having appointed leaders. Seriously!

The idea of turning the State Board of Education into a Commission to allow the members to be appointed seems like a plan to ensure the leaders of the state's education system have the objectives of the appointer at heart rather than doing what is best for the education system as a whole.

Now... Lou Lou does not live in a fantasy world. She knows there are problems with the current system, but those problems could certainly be addressed and worked on easier than having a Commission set up that has one agenda at heart only.

It just seems to Lou Lou like the best option on this particular amendment is to say "no" to those trying to get the change. There has to be an underlying reason for such a change.

Let's elect those state board of education members as we have in the past, and then, let's force them to do a better job than has been done.

The best way to handle an elected official is to constantly berate them when we feel they are doing wrong and/or not doing the best they can for us as constituents. They at least know if they do not adhere to the people, they will find themselves voted out the next go around.

It just seems to Lou Lou that a commission with appointed members will not be concerned as much by the outrage of the constituents as they are with pleasing the person(s) who put them in that spot.

It takes the 'say so' out of the hands of the citizens, and we do not need that when we are dealing with the folks put in charge of leading our state's education system.

Whether you agree with Cuzin Lou Lou or not on this matter, that is okay. She will be voting 'no' to Amendment 1 on Tuesday. You vote your conscious...but, please do go vote!

Until next time...God bless and keep smiling!

Landmark Park set to host Spring Farm Day on March 21st

Spring Farm Day will be Saturday, March 21, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. at Landmark Park in Dothan, Ala.

Turn back the clock over 100 years and experience living history demonstrations of blacksmithing, plowing with mules, quilting and other traditional springtime farm activities. Entertainment will include traditional music, arts and crafts, a Kids Zone petting zoo, Drum Circle City performance, expanded Stroll Through History trail, chuckwagon and Dutch oven cooking demos and more. (\$8 for adults, \$6 for seniors and military, \$4 for kids, free for park members and children 2 and under). New this year!

The Alabama Agricultural Museum will reopen with a new exhibit. Sponsored by WOOF Radio, Durden Outdoor, WDHN, Houston County Farmers Federation, Dothan Eagle, Wiregrass Electric Cooperative, Wiregrass RC&D, Extencicare, ServisFirst Bank, Dothan Animal Hospital.





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Troy University legendary band director Dr. Johnny M. Long dies at age 94

Troy University lost a legend. Dr. Johnny M. Long passed away at his home on Monday evening, Feb. 24, at age 94 after a brief illness and more than a year of declining health.

"Dr. Johnny Long has been an icon of Troy University and band music throughout the world. His leadership, not only of the Sound of the South Marching Band and the University but also to generations of musicians, conductors and music educators across the globe, has made a significant impact in bringing our world and our cultures closer together," said Chancellor Dr. Jack Hawkins, Jr. "He promoted the very best in his students, in music and in understanding of our world. His death leaves a void in leadership in many areas, and his friendship will be deeply missed."

Dr. Long, who served as director of bands at TROY

from 1965-1996, was a past president of the American Bandmasters Association and is a member of the National Band Association's Hall of Fame of Distinguished Band Conductors and the Alabama Bandmasters Hall of Fame. In 2010, Dr. Long was named honorary president of the National Band Association, and in 2011, was the subject of a feature piece for CBS Evening News on his continued involvement as conductor of the Southeast Alabama Community Band. In 2012, he was elected Honorary Life Member of the American Bandmasters Association.

He continued to serve the University as Director of Bands Emeritus and Professor of Music Emeritus.

He was an active guest conductor, speaker, clinician and adjudicator through the United States, Europe, Canada and Mexico.

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# Obituaries

Death notices updated regularly on our website at <www.elba-clipper.com>

## DON FOSTER

Mr. Don Foster, age 55, died Thursday, Feb. 13, 2020, in Pensacola, Fla.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Feb. 22, 2020, at Coleman Funeral Home of Elba with Coleman Funeral Home directing.

Foster was born in Opp, Ala. on September 3, 1964, to the late Bert and Sherrie Foster. He was a graduate of New Brockton High School. In December 1985, he joined in marriage to Angela Yvette Foster and was an employee of Dorsey Trailers.

Don was preceded in death by sisters Janice Foster, Rosie Mary Walker, and brother Bert Foster Jr., grandparents Eddie Bell and Pearl Turner, Yank Foster and Mayreel Walton.

Survivors include his wife: Angela Yvette Foster; daughter: Devin (Justin) Harbuck; son: Donnell (Rachel) Foster; grandchildren: Baylon and Brielle Foster, Enterprise, Ala.; three sisters: Michelle Foster, Stephanie (Terry) Adams, both of New Brockton, Ala., and Lannis (Clayton) Favors, Panama City, Fla.; brothers: Johnny (Margaret) Foster, Enterprise, Steven and Stanley Foster, both of New Brockton; and a host of nieces and nephews.

## MAVIS POWELL LE-GEAR

Mrs. Mavis Powell Le-Gear, age 86, a former resident of the Bullock community, died Sunday, Feb. 23, 2020, at Baptist Village Nursing Home in Waycross, Ga.

Funeral services will be held at Friendship Baptist Church on Saturday, Feb. 29, 2020, beginning at 12 noon, with Rev. Bobby Powell officiating. Burial will follow in the Bullock Community Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Home directing. Visitation will be at Friendship Baptist Church on Saturday from 11 a.m. until noon.

Mrs. Le-Gear was preceded in death by her husband William Le-Gear, a son Scottie Le-Gear, her brother William Powell, and her parents Eddie and Fannie Powell.

Survivors include a daughter: Judy Harrelson (and son-in-law Rudolph), Moultrie, Ga.; grandsons: Tony (Tammy) Harrelson, Waycross, Stacy (Angel) Harrelson, Biloxi, Miss., and Ashley (Korra) Le-Gear, Elba; granddaughters: Kristi Harrelson, Deltona, Fla., Kisha Le-Gear, Elba; sisters: Margise Samson, Bartow, Fla., Mary (Gerald) Pryor, Luverne, Ala., Martha (James) Carlie and Ruth (Hugh) Smith, both of Brantley, Ala., along with a host of great and great-great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

## PRESTON POPE

Mr. Preston Pope, age 82, of Dawson Ga., died Friday, Jan. 24, 2020, at his home.

He was born and raised in Glenwood, Ala. He lived most of his adult life in Georgia. He enjoyed working on cars and was self-employed as an auto mechanic.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, Feb. 29, at Newbia Baptist Church, 3819 County Road 330, Elba, Ala. Visitation will be at 1 p.m. with the service beginning at 2 p.m. Officiating will be Brother Elbert Smith and Preston Wade Pope.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests contributions be made to Newbia Baptist Church.

Preston was preceded in death by his parents, Roland and Lizzie Pope; brothers, Othal Pope, Roland Pope Jr.; and sisters, Louise Pope Williams, and Dorothy Pope Cherry.

Survivors include his wife: Marilyn; daughters: Glenda Pope Mulherin (Mike), Lincoln, Ga., Lisa Murphy Van Woert, Augusta, Ga.; sons: Tim Pope (Charline), Wetumpka, Ala., Preston Wade Pope (Ashley), Dayton, Ohio; brothers: Billy Pope (Vickie), Columbus, Ga., Fred Pope, Glenwood; sister: Marie Haden (Richard), Jacksonville, Ark.; along with seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

## RUBY ROGERS WALKER

Mrs. Ruby Rogers Walker, age 82, of Elba, Ala., died recently at her residence.

Funeral services were held Thursday, Feb. 20, 2020, at Coleman Funeral Home of Elba with Coleman Funeral Home directing.

Ruby Lee Rogers was born to the late Will and Louise Rogers in Pike County, Ala. She was married to the late Willie James Walker for 61 years and died on the anniversary of their union. She was also preceded in death by one sister Willie Mae Dubose and one brother David James Rogers.

Survivors include six daughters: Barbara Tillis, Christine Weston, Christilisa Walker, Resia (Cecil) Haywood, Wanda Walker (Michael) Bryant, Mollye (Jeffrey) Melton; twelve grandchildren: Fabreka Morris, Marcus Tillis, Dannie Weston, Eric Weston, Michelle (Soren) Riddick-Seals, Brandi Paul, Christilisa "Missy" Gilmore, Ciandra "Colie" Gilmore, Adrienne Haywood, Henderson Baker III, Brittany Melton, Kaci Melton, one step-grandson: Johnathan Lockett; seven great-grandchildren: Arianna Pruitt, Yasianna Weston, Braylon Morris, Camora Baker, Naomi Weston, Maximus Mesa, Cartier Baker; five sisters: Rebecca Lindsey, Ethel Horstead, Betty Mullins, Johnnie (Willie) McBride, Martha Gilford, four brothers: J.P. (Martha) Rogers, C.P. (Mildred) Rogers, Jonas (Virginia) Rogers, Will (Sharon) Rogers Jr.; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Winona Brashears, age 72, of Elba, Ala., died Tuesday, Feb. 18, 2020, in West Florida Hospital of Pensacola, Fla.

## WINONA BRASHEARS

Mrs. Winona Brashears, age 72, of Elba, Ala., died Tuesday, Feb. 18, 2020, in West Florida Hospital of Pensacola, Fla.

A private service will be held at a later date. You may sign the register book or send condolences to the family at [www.searcyfuneralhome.com](http://www.searcyfuneralhome.com).

Mrs. Brashears was preceded in death by a son, Anthony E. Brashears.

Survivors include her husband: Lawrence James Brashears, Elba; son: Lawrence James Brashears Jr.; granddaughter: Audrey Brashears; daughter-in-law: Nancy Clark; five brothers: Tim Reynolds, Steve Reynolds, Dolan Reynolds, Allen Reynolds and Terry Reynolds; two sisters: Diana Allen and Noika Grantham; along with numerous nieces and nephews.

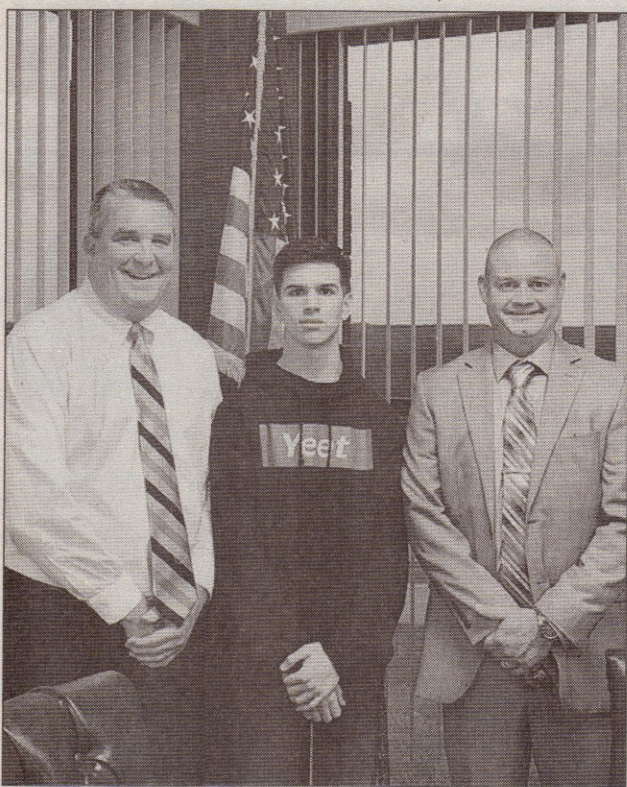
## Registration for youth baseball and softball:

Elba Parks and Recreation has extended registration for youth baseball and softball until Friday, Feb. 28th. This is for children ages 4 - 12.

The cost is \$35 for one child; \$60 for two children; or \$75 for a family with three or more children.

For more information, call the Rec Dept. at (334) 897-6833.

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ELBA HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR JACOB RODRIGUEZ (center) led the Pledge of Allegiance to start the Elba City Schools Board of Education meeting held Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, at the central office. Rodriguez already has committed to serve his country in the military and is currently a member of the National Guard. After high school he plans to pursue a degree in criminal justice at the University of Alabama. Pictured above with Rodriguez is Elba High School principal Wynn Grimes (left) and superintendent Chris Moseley (right).

## Elba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, between Friday, Feb. 14, and Sunday, Feb. 23, made the following arrests: seven on warrants, one for giving false information, one for failure to appear, and one for receiving stolen property.

There were 11 traffic citations and 19 traffic warnings [verbal and written] issued by Elba Police officers during the timeframe of Feb. 14th - Feb. 23rd.

**FRIDAY, FEB. 14** - Officers responded to a 2-vehicle wreck on Claxton Ave (8:25 a.m.); Officers responded to area of Hwy 189 S in reference to a suspicious subject laying on the levee - advised negative contact with subject (11:22 a.m.); Officers responded to report of gunshots in area of Claxton Ave - advised a young male subject to not fire a weapon in the city limits (1:39 p.m.); Officers responded to report of a possible fight in area of Claxton Ave (6:28 p.m.).

**SATURDAY, FEB 15** - Officers responded to report of a fight in progress in area of Cedar Lane Dr (11:38 a.m.); Officers responded to area of Taylor Mill Rd in reference to complaint of suspicious subjects in the area (9:29 p.m.).

**SUNDAY, FEB. 16** - Officers responded to report of suspicious circumstances in area of Jones Circle in reference to a bleeding subject - officers advised the family was notified and the subject was on way to a local hospital (7:11 a.m.).

**MONDAY, FEB. 17** - Officers responded to Elba Work Release in reference to a report of an inmate that had escaped (12:48 a.m.); A routine traffic stop turned into a foot pursuit of a subject - subject managed to elude officers (10:37 a.m.); Officers responded to a trespassing complaint at a residence on Sawyer St. (2:11 p.m.).

**TUESDAY, FEB. 18** - Officers responded to a prowler complaint on County Rd 368 (8:20 a.m.);

Officers assisted with a medical call on First Ave (2:37 p.m.); Officers assisted a probation officer on County Rd 342 (3:39 p.m.); Officers responded to a report of a possible breaking and entering on Cedar Lane Dr (6:12 p.m.); Officer responded to report of possible drug paraphernalia found in a public restroom on Davis St (8:29 p.m.).

**WEDNESDAY, FEB. 19** - Officers responded with Elba Fire to the area of Reddoch Hill Rd in reference to a gas leak (6:28 a.m.); Officers responded to area of Troy Hwy in reference to an attempted breaking and entering (10:12 a.m.); Officers responded to a trespassing complaint on Morrow Ave (4:40 p.m.); Officers responded to a residence on Jones Circle in reference to an unruly juvenile (7:23 p.m.).

**THURSDAY, FEB. 20** - Officers responded to area of Russell St in reference to several 911 calls - advised subjects at residence (4:48 p.m.); Officers responded to area of E Davis St in reference to a possible prowler (6:39 p.m.).

**FRIDAY, FEB. 21** - Officers responded to Dollar General in reference to a report of possible drug paraphernalia found (3:57 p.m.); Officers responded to a residence on Hwy 84 in reference to a possible domestic dispute (9:37 p.m.).

**SATURDAY, FEB. 22** - Officers responded to a domestic disturbance on County Rd 368 (3:58 p.m.); Officer took a domestic violence complaint in the lobby of the police department (8:29 p.m.).

**SUNDAY, FEB. 23** - Officers involved in a vehicle chase with a subject beginning at County Rd 427 and ending at Alberton Church - the subject was detained (6:42 a.m.); Officers responded to a residence on County Rd 409 in reference to a verbal domestic dispute - officers were able to separate the parties involved (10:18 a.m.).

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One of the most common misconceptions about cremation is it precludes a traditional memorial service. Nothing could be further from the truth. In reality, many families ultimately choose to honor their deceased loved one with a traditional service—either before or even after the cremation of the body.

These traditional services have endured for a reason, after all: Many people find them to be comforting. That's why even those who choose cremation may still wish to have a final viewing, a visitation or wake, and then a funeral service.

In some instances, the body can be cremated before the funeral service takes place; the cremated remains are then placed into the urn, which can be displayed at the service, in place of a casket. Following the service, there can be a gravesite service as the urn is either buried or placed into a columbarium. Alternatively, the family may simply wish to take the urn with them, leaving it in their home for a few days before ultimately returning it to its final resting place.

Another option is to delay the cremation, allowing the body to be displayed for a final viewing and then a visitation and funeral service. In other words, it can be just like any other traditional memorial—except rather than being buried, the body is taken away for cremation.

Most funeral homes will be more than willing to provide your family with whatever arrangement you find most meaningful, or most in line with the deceased's wishes. If that means cremation and traditional funeral services, that's perfectly doable. As always, speak with your funeral director about any of the specifics.

If you would like a free funeral decisions guide, please email me at [hayesfh@hayesfuneralhome.net](mailto:hayesfh@hayesfuneralhome.net)



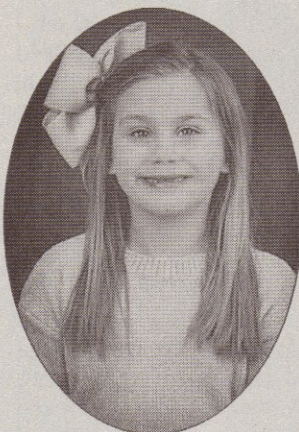
# LIFESTYLES

CROWNS TO BE AWARDED IN SEVEN CATEGORIES

2020 Miss Elba pageants set for Saturday beginning at 4 p.m.



**Cora Mauldin**  
Little Miss contestant



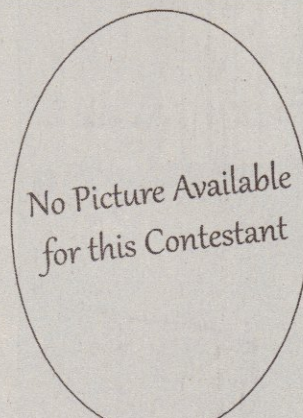
**Lillie-Grace Hudson**  
Little Miss contestant



**Ella Newby**  
Little Miss contestant



**Bella Bane**  
Future Little Miss contestant



**Noelle Flowers**  
Future Little Miss contestant



**Colins Hall**  
Future Little Miss contestant



**Danielle Tidwell**  
Teen Miss contestant



**Cate Capps**  
Little Miss contestant



**Piper Astemborski**  
Little Miss contestant



**Kayleigh Smith**  
Future Little Miss contestant



**Olivia Grantham**  
Future Little Miss contestant



**Ken'Tana Thomas**  
Future Little Miss contestant



**Mary Elizabeth Kelley**  
Teen Miss contestant



**Leah Faircloth**  
Miss Elba contestant



**Maggie Hammonds**  
Miss Elba contestant



**Elizabeth James**  
Petite Miss contestant



**Hillary Hudson**  
Young Miss contestant



**Mary Brooklyn O'Neal**  
Young Miss contestant



**Kendra Juarez**  
Teen Miss contestant



**Kate Hudson**  
Miss Elba contestant



**Trinity Bryan**  
Miss Elba contestant



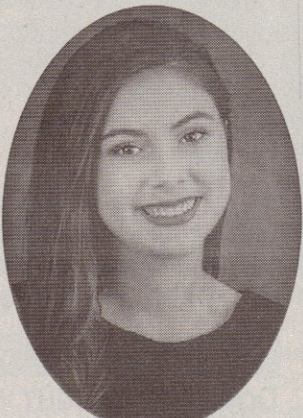
**May Morgan Lusk**  
Junior Miss contestant



**Callie Pope**  
Junior Miss contestant



**Liza Rodriguez**  
Junior Miss contestant



**Zoe Sanders**  
Junior Miss contestant



**Faith Adcock**  
Junior Miss contestant



**Natalie Chandler**  
Junior Miss contestant

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to all Participants in the 2020 Miss Elba Pageant!

Love, Miss Elba 2019 Lynsey Manning

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

The 2020 Miss Elba Pageants will be held this Saturday, Feb. 29, beginning at 4 p.m. from the Elba High School auditorium. Queens will be crowned for Future Little Miss, Little Miss, Petite Miss, Young Miss, Teen Miss, Junior Miss, and Miss Elba. Admission will be charged.

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Shine Bright, Baby Girl!

Colins Hall, Future Miss Elba contestant

Love, Mommy & Kyle

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to Ken'Tana Thomas Future Little Miss Elba contestant [Contestant # 6]

We Love You!! Your Family

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to Liza Rodriguez Junior Miss Elba contestant

Love, Momma

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to Ella Newby Little Miss Elba contestant

From, Bright Beginnings

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to Lillie-Grace Hudson Little Miss Elba contestant

From, Bright Beginnings

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to Bella Bane Future Little Miss Elba contestant

Love, Your Family

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to Olivia Jo Grantham Future Little Miss Elba contestant

From, Bright Beginnings

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to Elizabeth James Petite Miss Elba contestant

From, Bright Beginnings

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to Piper Astemborski Little Miss Elba contestant

Love, Dad, Mom, Cole & Ava

2020 Miss Elba Pageants



## LIFESTYLES

## 2nd Annual Spring Foggy Bottom Cruisin' Car Show zooming March 21st into Elba

The 2nd Annual Spring Foggy Bottom Cruisin' Car Show is set for Saturday, March 21, from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. on the square in downtown Elba and is presented by the Foggy Bottom Cruisers.

Car registration will be from 8-10 a.m. There is a \$20 fee to enter the car show, and all proceeds will benefit the Elba Public Li-

brary.

Trophies will be awarded to the winners of the car show — all makes and models of cars and trucks welcome!

There also will be arts and crafts exhibits on the square during the event.

For more information on the car show, contact Kenneth Calhoun at (334) 313-5505. For more information regard arts and crafts exhibits, contact Larry Goodson at (334) 464-1613.

There is no admission charge to attend.

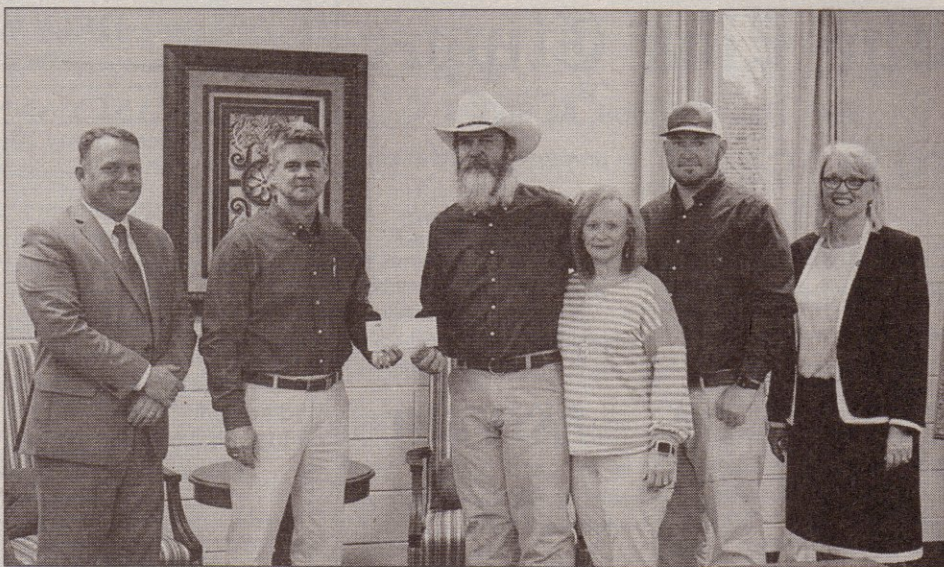
[www.coffeecountyvotes.com](http://www.coffeecountyvotes.com)

Coffee County's election website

While here one can:

- \* Obtain a voter registration application
- \* Check registration status
- \* View, download, and print sample ballots
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- \* View the offices up for elections
- \* View a current list of elected officials
- \* Obtain an application to vote absentee, and much more

**Lifestyles  
News is  
Due on  
Monday!**



An official signing ceremony was held at Lurleen B. Wallace Community College to establish the Brandon Joseph Holt Scholarship Fund and the Brandon Joseph Holt Endowed Scholarship. Tammy and Joey Holt established the scholarships in remembrance of their son Brandon. These scholarships were made possible, in part, by the generous contributions of family, community members, and friends from Alabama, Florida, Georgia, and Texas. Pictured, from left, are LBWCC Interim President Dr. Chris Cox; LBWCC Foundation President Mark Parker; Joey Holt; Tammy Holt; the Holts' son Justin; and Associate Dean of Institutional Advancement Dr. Arlene Davis.

## Extension service bringing Alabama Watershed Stewards workshop to Enterprise on March 19

The Coffee County Extension Office announces registration for an Alabama Watershed Stewards One-Day Workshop set for Thursday, March 19, in Enterprise, Ala.

The workshop will be held at the Enterprise Farmers Market, 25 North Main Street, from 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. The cost is \$25, which includes a handbook and lunch. This workshop is

approved for 0.6 CEU's from Auburn University.

The workshop will be a science-based educational overview of watershed systems and water quality protection tips. Also, attendees will connect to resources in their area and discover roles in local water projects.

For more information on the Alabama Watershed Stewards program, visit [www.aces.edu/aws](http://www.aces.edu/aws).

Statewide partners for this upcoming workshop include the Alabama Cooperative Extension System, Alabama Water Watch, AU Water Resources Center, and Alabama Department of Environmental Management. To register, visit <https://www.aub.ie/AWS>. For questions, contact Laura Bell, extension water program coordinator, by email at [stewards@auburn.edu](mailto:stewards@auburn.edu).

## All seniors age 60 and older encouraged to join fun at Elba Senior Citizens Center

The Elba Senior Citizens Center encourages all seniors — age 60 and older — to join the center for lots of fun, activities and more.

Along with nutritious meals 5-days-per-week, the director works with seniors to help them apply for several programs they may qualify for, including: Farmers Market Vouchers, HRDC- Energy Assistance, Food Assistance, Medicaid Waiver, Senior Rx Program, Medicare Savings Program, etc. A senior must be an active participant at the Elba Senior center for the director to sign up for programs that they may qualify for to receive assistance.

To become a center participant, attendance is not based on income. If interested in joining the center, stop by or call 897-3019. The Elba Senior Citizens Center is located at 304 N. Factory Ave., Elba. Also, seniors age 60 and older that cannot come to the center may qualify for meals being brought to home. Contact Donna Falls, Elba Senior Center director, for more information.

## Elba Internet Visibility Project

presented by the Elba Chamber of Commerce is a FREE service to assist the business community in reaching potential customers by placement on Internet sites such as Google Maps, Yelp, Around Me, etc. Contact the Chamber office for more details (334) 897-3125



The 2019 Miss Elba Queens will relinquish their crowns Saturday evening, Feb. 29, as the 2020 Queens will be crowned during a pageant set to be held at the Elba High School auditorium, beginning at 4 p.m. As part of the ceremonies, the 2019 queens will have a final walk before helping to crown the new queen in each of the seven categories. The 2019 Queens included: (front, l to r) Little Miss Elba Elizabeth James, Future Little Miss Elba Ella Newby, Petite Miss Elba Armani Latimer, and Young Miss Elba Taylor Day; (back, l to r) Teen Miss Elba Zalie McKelvy, Miss Elba Lynsey Manning, and Junior Miss Elba Kate Hudson.

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to  
Ken'Tana  
Thomas

Future Little Miss Elba contestant

From, Bright Beginnings

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to all  
Contestants in the  
2020 Miss Elba  
Pageants!

From, Your Friends  
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SUNDAY!!**

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to  
Mary Brooklyn  
O'Neal

Young Miss Elba contestant

Love, Your Family

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to  
Ella  
Newby

Little Miss Elba contestant

From, The Grant Family

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck,  
Colins Hall

Future Little Miss Elba contestant

We Love You!!  
Love, Nana & Papoo

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

Good Luck to  
Colins Hall

Future Little Miss Elba contestant

From,  
Bright Beginnings

2020 Miss Elba Pageants

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Good Luck to  
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Astemborski

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From, The Grant Family

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#### VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Coffee County Highway Department  
Laborer

Job Description: Provide general labor and support for road maintenance and repair and other various duties. No Experience Required. Qualifications: Valid Driver's License, must be physically fit to handle various flagman tasks and other duties. Requires standing for long periods. Fringe Benefits: Paid vacation, sick leave, health insurance, holidays, and State retirement. Starting Salary is \$9.18 per hour. Closing Date: Until position is filled.

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#### VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Coffee County Highway Department  
Mechanic

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### PUBLIC NOTICE:

The City of Elba is now accepting applications for the position of  
Utility Billing Clerk

The ideal candidate should be knowledgeable of modern office practices and procedures, proficient on personal computers and associated software applications, high school diploma or equivalent. This position requires the individual to be bonded.

Opening Date: Immediately.

Closing Date: Monday, March 2, 2020, 5:00 p.m.

Salary: Commensurate with experience.

#### Benefits:

The City of Elba offers BCBS Health and Dental Insurance; State Retirement; paid vacation, sick time and holidays.

Applications are available at City Hall, 200 Buford Street, Elba, AL or online at [www.elbaa-labama.net/job-opportunities](http://www.elbaa-labama.net/job-opportunities). All applications should be submitted to Elba City Hall or may be emailed to [info@elbaal.gov](mailto:info@elbaal.gov) with the subject line "Utility Billing Clerk."

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Elba Clipper Public Notices are posted on the websites: [www.elba-clipper.com](http://www.elba-clipper.com) and [www.alabamapublicnotices.com](http://www.alabamapublicnotices.com) at no extra chargeSTATE OF ALABAMA  
COFFEE COUNTY

#### PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section §17-6-4(b), Code of Alabama, 1975, I, Steven E. Blair, Judge of Probate of Coffee, Alabama hereby gives notice of the change to the voting place therein as set out below. This notice outlines a designation of a new voting precinct in Coffee County via prior resolution of the Coffee County Commission, dated February 10, 2020.

Precinct District 3 Elba Recreation Center is relocated to Elba Church of Christ, 715 N. Troy Highway, Elba, by designation of the Coffee County Commission.

The Sheriff of Coffee County, Alabama shall post a copy of this notice at each courthouse and at two public places within each election district.

Done this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020./s/ Steven E. Blair  
Steven E. Blair, Probate Judge

2/13, 20 &amp; 27-chg

TIM BLACKMON,  
PLAINTIFF,  
VS  
MTA MOTORS,  
DEFENDANT.

CIVIL ACTION NO: CV-2018-900072

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

TO: MTA MOTORS

You are hereby notified that a Complaint has been filed in the Circuit Court of Coffee County, Alabama (Elba Division) against you and you are required to appear and plead to or answer the same within (30) days of the last publication, which will be the 12th day of April 2020, or thereafter a default may be rendered against you. This the 12<sup>th</sup> day of

February 2020.

/s/ Amy L. Reeves

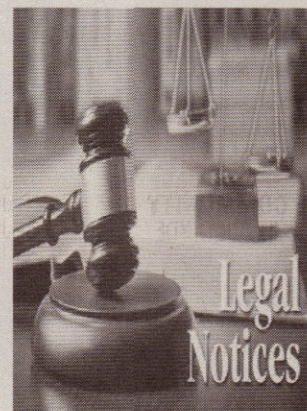
Amy Reeves, Circuit Clerk  
Coffee County, Alabama  
2/20,27 & 3/5,12-chgIN THE PROBATE  
COURT OF COFFEE  
COUNTY, ALABAMA  
ELBA DIVISIONIN RE: THE ESTATE OF  
LEON BOYD MURPHREE,  
Deceased.

CASE NO: PC 2020-005

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TAKE NOTICE that Letters Testamentary were granted on February 19, 2020, to Janet M. Hill and Susan M. Ray as Co-Executrixes of the Estate of Leon Boyd Murphree, who departed this life on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2020, by the Hon. Steve Blair, Judge of Probate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

Susan M. Ray  
Susan M. Ray, Co-Executrix of the Estate of Leon Boyd Murphree, DeceasedJanet M. Hill  
Janet M. Hill, Co-Executrix of the Estate of Leon Boyd Murphree, Deceased  
2/27,3/5,12-pd

## The Southeast Alabama Rural Planning Organization (RPO) will hold the following meetings:

### County RPO Public Meetings

Coffee County – March 5, 2020, 3:00 p.m. – Coffee County Community Room (New Brockton)

**RPO Technical Committee Meeting** – March 11, 2020, 10:30 a.m. – Daleville City Hall, Daleville, Alabama**RPO Policy Committee Meeting** – March 11, 2020, 1:00 p.m. – Daleville City Hall, Daleville, Alabama

### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

STATE-FUNDED PROJECT NO: IAR-016-000-024 COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA

Sealed bids will be received by the Coffee County Commission at the Office Complex in New Brockton, Alabama, until 9:00 A.M., March 31, 2020, and at that time publicly open for constructing the following:

**AUXILLARY LANES ON SR-12 (US-84) AND CR-516 – 0.600 MILES**  
**COFFEE COUNTY ALABAMA**

The bracket estimate on this project is from \$600,000 to \$750,000. This bracket range is shown only to provide general financial information to contractors and bonding companies concerning the project's complexity and size. This bracket should not be used in preparing a bid, nor will this bracket have any bearing on the decision to award the contract.

The entire project shall be completed in FORTY-FIVE (45) working days.

A cashier's check (drawn on an Alabama bank) or bid bond payable to the Coffee County Commission for an amount of 5% of bid (maximum - \$10,000) must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.

Proposals will be issued only to and accepted from contractors on the Alabama Department of Transportation's (ALDOT) List of Pre-Qualified Contractors. The award of the contract will be made only to a contractor who has a valid certification of qualification from ALDOT as required by State Law and will not be made to any bidder who is considered by ALDOT to be disqualified from bidding, or is an affiliate of or has a corporate officer, director, or principal owner who is a corporate officer, director, or owner of, another person who is presently disqualified by ALDOT. Further details and definitions regarding this provision are included in section 102 of special provision 18-LPA2 and ALDOT's standard specifications.

Proof of insurance coverage of the types and amounts as set forth in the project specifications will be required of the contractor, and any and all subcontractors, prior to beginning work. The contractor will be required to perform work amounting to at least 30% of the total contract cost with his own organization.

This is a state-funded project through ALDOT. The proposed work shall be performed in conformity with all applicable laws, rules, and regulations.

Plans, Specifications and Proposals may be obtained at the Coffee County Engineer's Office, Highway 84, New Brockton, Alabama from 6:30 A.M. until 5:00 P.M., Monday through Thursday (telephone 334/894-6112). A proposal fee of \$50.00 is required if plans are picked up and a fee of \$70.00 is required if plans are mailed. The

\$50.00 Fee will be returned to unsuccessful bidders who return plans in a reusable condition within ten (10) days after bid opening.

The bidder's proposal must be submitted on the complete original proposal furnished him by the Coffee County Commission. Bids will be received only from contractors duly licensed by the State Licensing Board for General Contractors.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Dean Smith, Chairman



SUPPLEMENTAL LIST OF COFFEE COUNTY QUALIFIED VOTERS

STATE OF ALABAMA  
COFFEE COUNTY

As directed by the Code of Alabama, §17-4-1, I, Steven E. Blair, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within constitutes a list of qualified voters of said county who have registered since the last list of qualified voters was published. It is possible that this does not constitute all who are qualified to vote in said county, however upon notice duly given within the time provided by law, is submitted and published as a supplemental list of qualified voters who are entitled to vote in said county.

Done this the 20th, day of February, 2020

Steven E. Blair, Judge of Probate

**Precinct District 1**  
**Precinct Number 101**  
**KINSTON CITY HALL**  
CALHOUN SUPRENA DAWN  
DAVIS JOE HOWARD  
DAVIS VIRGINIA G.  
HERCULUS CHARLES EDWARD IV  
KELLEY ASHLEY AMANDA  
PARKER JOHN RANDALL  
SPIVEY SUSAN DENISE  
ZORN MATTHEW LEE

**Precinct District 1**  
**Precinct Number 102**  
**BASIN**

COPELAND COLBY ALLEN  
COWART WILLIAM TRAVIS  
LASITER BOBBY LEO  
SANDERS MEAGHEN ALIVIA

**Precinct District 1**  
**Precinct Number 103**  
**ELBA NAT'L GUARD**

**ARMORY**  
BOOZER EMMETT DYLAN BLAKE  
GENTRY WINONA KAYE  
LATHAM CHARLES BRANDON  
MITCHELL JAMES DAVID  
MONTGOMERY JENNIFER LYNN  
NOSA COOL BROWN  
ROGERS CAROLYN NICOLE  
WIGGINS DONALD DEWAIN

**Precinct District 1**  
**Precinct Number 104**  
**PINE LEVEL**

BOWERS TIMOTHY BRANDON  
COOPER LOWELL JR  
DAVIS JAMES ALFRED  
FRYE STEPHEN MICHAEL  
HALL JUSTIN MICHAEL  
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**Precinct District 1**  
**Precinct Number 105**  
**NEWBIA**

JUNGER COLTEN DEAN

**Precinct District 1**

**Precinct Number 107**  
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**CENTER**  
ARNOLD HANNAH ALEXIS  
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**Precinct District 1**

**Precinct Number 108**  
**LEE COMMUNITY**

HALL JUSTIN CLYDE  
STINSON DALE PATRICK

**Precinct District 1**

**Precinct Number 109**  
**WISE MILL**

BOOTHE ANNIE STEVENS  
DAVIS AUBREY CHASE  
DONALDSON ANNA MARIE

HODGE IVAN JOSHUA STOCKLIN  
PYFROM DAVID LIVINGSTONE  
STALLWORTH JAMACHOLIS

LAVAL  
WILLIAMS KENDALL AUSTIN

WRITESSEL RODGER DEAN

**Precinct District 1**

**Precinct Number 110**  
**VICTORIA BAPTIST**

**CHURCH**  
EUTSEY CHRISTINA DAWN  
RICHARDS STANLEY DEAN

STINSON GARRETT LEAVON  
THOMASTON COURTNEY MORGAN

TOUB DEBRA

**Precinct District 1**

**Precinct Number 111**  
**FARM CENTER COMM.**

**ROOM**  
BAKER JOHN MARK DANIEL  
BECK CASEY NICOLE

BOUTWELL CHADWICK K C  
BRECHIN KENT HOLLIS  
DAVIS CARRIE LEIGH

EWERS PAMELA ANN  
FULLER GRADY FARRIS  
FULLER GRADY MALCOLM

GILBERT JONATHAN BROOKS  
HARRIS JAMES RICHARD JR  
JONES CHRISTINA MARIE

KNIGHT KENNETH BRENT  
MCDURMONT KAYLEIGH  
MILLS KYLE ALLEN

MIZELL JAMES BRYANT  
MOUGHON JOHN COLE  
PAGE ALEXIS BLESSEN-AIRE

PHILLIPS WINIFORD  
REAVIS MICHAEL EDWARD  
SAWYER MICHELLE A

SMITH CHELSA ANDREA  
STOUDMIRE WILLIE JAMES  
TATSCH APRIL ELAINE

TYLER JEFFERY EDWARD  
WEAVER PHILLIP CHARLES  
WEEMS SHELBY DIXON

**Precinct District 2**

**Precinct Number 201**  
**CHESTNUT GROVE**

BROWN CURTIS L  
SIMMONS ZACHERY WILSON

THRASH DANA A

**Precinct District 2**

**Precinct Number 202**  
**FRISCO**

ANDERSON BARBARA  
BATCHELOR

ANDERSON JOHNNY  
CHILDS MARCILLA SUSAN  
DISMUKES RAIF EUGENE

DOWNING BILLIE JO  
GAFFORD RAMONA GAYLE  
GALLOWAY GEORGIA FAYE

KILCREASE ASHLEY WAMBLES  
NELSON NETTIE EMALINE  
SMITH DUSTIN BLAKE

WILSON ALLISON NICOLE

**Precinct District 2**  
**Precinct Number 203**  
**EANON**

ADAWAY NORMAN LESLIE III  
ARCHIE HEATHER ELAINE

CROSSEN CLIFFORD EARL  
CROSSEN SHARON FAYE  
DEADERICK MICHAEL WAYNE

HOWARD RICKY LEE JR  
METCALF BILLY JOE  
PLUNKETT GARY THOMAS

PRITCHETT TERESA LYNN  
SCHUBBE RHESA DAWN  
SNELLGROVE SHELBY RAE

TIPTON KATHRYN ELISABETH

**Precinct District 2**

**Precinct Number 204**  
**HERITAGE CHURCH**

ALLISON ZACHARY TODD  
ANDERSON KAREN DIAMOND

CAPPS  
ASKINS SARAH CAROLINE

AYCOCK JEFFERY DAVID  
BAKER TAKARAM ELIZABETH  
BALDWIN GWENDOLYN FELICIA

BARBER VIKTORIA LEE  
BIGELOW KEVIN FRANK  
BRADLEY WILLIAM EUGENE

BRASHER DANIEL JORDAN  
BRASHER MOLLY FULLER  
BROOKS CIMON RENEE

BROOKS TINA C  
BUSH PARKER ASHTON

CALDWELL ANNIE C  
CAPLE DEMYIA DESHAYE

CARTER KRISTINA GAIL  
CHAFFINS MIRANDA ALEXIS  
CHAVARRIA MARYANN JULIETE

CHEATHAM KEIONA JOHNNEL  
CLARK ADRIENNE MICHELLE  
COOPER KAYLA MARIE

CROCKETT PAMELA DELON  
CURRIER CHELSEY JULIANA  
DANIELSON LEXI PAIGE

DEOLIVEIRA CHRISTOPHER  
MICHAEL  
DRINKARD LASHANTRA DAWSON

EGAN CATHERINE JOAN  
EGAN JOHN MICHAEL  
EVANS MICHAEL PAUL

FERRELL MARY EVALYN  
FLECK WENDY BETH  
FORD JOSEPH ALDEN

GODWIN VEDA MAE  
GREEN LATONYA JEVETTE  
GUERRERO KATRINA E

HARDEN ADRIAN JAMERE  
HELMS ASHLYNN MCKAY  
HILL FREDDIE NASH JR

HILL DREDDIDGE PRESTON MICHEAL  
HUDSON ALBERT WALTER  
HUTCHERSON TYRONE ALEXANDER

JACKSON MEAGAN BROOKE  
JEFFERSON DENA MARIE  
JIMENEZ ETHAN GABRIEL

JOHNSON JOHNNIE  
JURY HANNAH ROSE  
JURY REBEKAH MORGAN

LEWIS WALTER XAVIER  
MAGANA LUE S  
MARSHALL DAVID MARTIN

MASON ALISHA GONZALEZ  
MAWHINNEY CHARLES EDWARD III  
MCCALL BRIAN MICHAEL

MCCOLLY JOHN WILSON  
METZ ZOE CORRYN  
MILLER DAVID ERIC

MISKIMON LINDA KAY  
MURPHY MICHAEL WAYNE  
NEAL NEWARD DONORE

PARRISH ERIK  
POLK JUSTIN MICHAEL  
PRESKITT LOWELL CROWDER

PUGH JESSICA AUSTIN  
RASLEVICH DENNIS EDWARD II  
RASLEVICH TONI RACHELLE

REESE NETTIE W  
RESENDIZ PATRICIA  
ROLLINS SARAH ELIZABETH

ROBERT JAMES WARREN  
SAVANNAH ANDREA L  
SCHWOBEL RAMSEY LEW

SELLERS STETSON COLT  
SISSON REBECCA LEE  
SMITH CHARLIE III

SPIVEY JON THOMAS BENJAMIN  
STACY OLIVIA HORNSBY  
STEGE HARRY EVAN

STEPHENS DONNA ELAINE  
SURMANN LINDSEY MARIE  
TARKER JOSEPH

TAYLOR CANDACE WINONA  
THOMAS TYRA M  
THOMPSON DERRICH

LEONDRAY JR  
TOBIN THOMAS JOSEPH  
VANCE THEO TRAVIS

VELAZQUEZ NICOLETTE HAIR  
VELAZQUEZ TENISHIA CEAL  
VELAZQUEZ-ROSA ALEXIS

WILLIAMS KIMBERLY RAE  
WILSON DANTE TYRESE  
WILSON TONY TERRELL

WISE STEPHANIE MICHELLE  
WITZ SCOTT C

**Precinct District 3**

**Precinct Number 301**  
**ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST**

ADKISON ROBERT LEE  
BATCHELOR JAKE DECIL  
BELCHER BEATRICE

BELL MYRNA H  
BOOTHE ADAM MICHAEL  
BOSWELL TAYLOR NICOLE

BURCH LEE MELTON  
CHAMBERS HERBERT EUGENE  
DAVIS LAURA KATHERINE

DAVIS MASON BRYANT  
DOBBS ROBERT MATTHEW  
FOSTER CALEB MALIK

GIBSON MELVIN LEE  
GIBSON NANCY VIOLA  
GORDON CHARLIE LOUIS JR

HALL MICHAEL J  
HATAWAY RANDI ALANNA  
JOHNSON THOMAS CAMERON

JOHNSON TIFFANY RENEE  
MARSHALL GERALD VINCENT III  
METCALF CHRISTOPHER

RALEIGH  
MOORE CHRISTOPHER BLAKE  
MOORE PAIGE MCKENZIE

MORRISSETTE MYESIA SINQUEZE  
MORROW NANCY CARNLEY

MORROW RACHEL MORGAN  
NANCE ELIZABETH JANE  
NELSON DEBRA DAVIS

OWENS FAYE OMER  
PEOSOK TIFFANY SAMANTHA  
POUNCEY JOHN AMOS

PRETTYMAN PERSEPHONE  
AMETHYST  
SISTRUNK ASIA ANDREA

SKINNER JOE BRANT  
SMITH KASSANDRA RAYLYN  
STOUDMIRE ROBERT EARL JR

TILLERY BRANDON MORGAN  
WADLEY WILLIAM TERRY II  
WALKER ALOIS GENTON

WARRICK DEBRA LYNN  
WATSON BARBARA A  
WHITE DALE EDWARD

WILSON RALPH EDGAR  
WOOD PRINCSHADRA  
GWENNETRA

**Precinct District 3**

**Precinct Number 302**  
**DAMASCUS SENIOR**

**CENTER**  
COPPAGE BEN DIXON  
DEWBERRY PATRICK EMMETT

DORSEY KRYSTEN NICOLE  
DOWNING JANET HORTON  
FOLEY HAILEY NICOLE

GUDITH CARMA ANN  
JACKSON JAMES THOMAS  
KELLEY SHARON

ROGERS ERIN LYN  
SHIMUNEK CRISTY ANN  
TAYLOR LUKAS CLAYTON

THOMPSON STEPHANIE ANN

**Precinct District 3**

**Precinct Number 303**  
**PLEASANT RIDGE**

BRIM JOHN WAYNE JR  
CALDWELL AQUILA M  
CLARK LEIGHA MARIE

CRUTCHFIELD EDDIE LYNN SR  
CRUTCHFIELD MARTHA CORLEY  
DIXON KATHERINE E

EAGAN AMBER NECOLE  
HAMILTON ADAM LOUIS  
PAULSEN

HOWELL JEFFERY MICHAEL  
JEFFREYS EMILY ANNE  
MARDEN GARY KIICHI

MARTINEZ HERNANDEZ  
WILXARIE  
POWELL SUMMER LEANN

SENN GARIE ALAN  
SMITH EMILY DANIELLE

**Precinct District 3**

**Precinct Number 304**  
**INO SENIOR CENTER**

HANSON GREGORY BROCK  
HANSON KRISTIN WOOD  
MCKENZIE JIMMY DANIEL

MCKENZIE MARGARET LYNN  
MILAM ANGELA LEIGH

**Precinct District 3**

**Precinct Number 305**  
**GOODMAN**

BOWMAN CONNIE LYNN  
BRADLEY WESLEY TREY  
CAMPBELL AUSTIN LEE

CAMPBELL COURTNEY LEE  
CANADY CEDRIC MAURICE  
DYESS ANNALISE NICOLE

GILLEY LUKE A  
HANSON AMY LYNN WATERS  
HARRISON STACY ANN

HITT GARRETT M  
LAINEZ ALEXANDRA ELIZABETH  
NOBLES SHELBY LYNN

PENUEL DAVID M  
REAGAN STEPHEN  
CHRISTOPHER

SHAKESPEAR ELIZABETH JETER  
SMITH ALISA JAN  
THOMAS REAGAN ALLY

THOMAS RICKY ALAN  
WANG TRACEY LYNN  
WOLFE OTTIS JEAN

**Precinct District 3**

**Precinct Number 306**  
**HOLLY'S STORE**

BRANCH MADISON DANIELLE  
HORTON LOYD TYLER  
MOCK BREANNA FAITH

SIMS JACK DANIEL

**Precinct District 4**

**Precinct Number 401**  
**EPRISE STATE COMM**

**COLLEGE**  
ADKINS DOROTHY NELL  
ALLEN DIEDRE RENEE

ANDREWS TERRI BOTTOMS  
BAKER TREVOR LEE  
BASS HAROLD E

BASS JEANETTE B  
BEARMAN BRIAN E  
BEAUMONT JOAN

BROWN JAMES RICHARD  
CABALLERO DAYANA F  
CALDWELL RECHELLE SIMONE

CAPPS ERIC MARTIN  
CARMICHAEL NELL N  
CASSELS KATLYNN IVY

CEDENO ECHEVARRIA JAVIER  
VIDAL  
CHANG LEENA

COACHMAN CHARLES CAMINITI JR  
CONNER LISA MARIE  
COOK RANDALL L

COOPER MICHAEL ROBERT  
DAHLE ROshan DEVESH  
DOWNIE WHITNEY N

EATON LOGAN LEE  
EDGAR RICHARD CHASEN  
FERNIHOUGH JOSEPH WARREN

FLOWERS ALARCON ANALIZA  
GALLA  
FOSTER CALVIN MARQUEZ

GALINDO ROSADO MARIELLE  
GANDEY BETTY LOUISE  
GILMORE GERALD JAMES

GONZALEZ JOEL MUNIZ  
GOOLSBY JACOB ADAM  
GOOLSBY WILLIAM SAWYER

GRAY DEBRA B  
HAHN BILLY LEE  
HAHN RAYE MARLENE

HARRISON IDA MAE  
HARRISON TALMADGE L  
HART MAUDINE

HATLEY SHARON RENEE  
HENDRIX MARK

HEROD KRYSTAL NICOLE  
HIMBURG ROBERT KOMINOS  
HOWELL EDWARD STEVEN JR

HUNDLEY JAMES EDWIN  
HUNDLEY WILMA JEAN  
KIRKSEY BETTY J

LAWSON GARY LEE  
MARTINEZ VAZQUEZ MILERIS  
MARX NONIE K

MATTHEWS JENNIFER REBECCA  
MCCLAIN JAMRI TA'SJUAN  
MCDURMONT EDNA MARIE

MCKINNON BILLIE MELVINE  
MEDLEY DOROTHY JEAN  
MITCHELL MARSHA KAY

MOON ROSANNE SHONTELLE  
MOORE DOROTHY M  
MOWERY REUBEN LEROY

MYHATT WALTER GLEN  
OLIVERAS SOTO JESUS MANUEL  
ORDIS CHRISTOPHER PHILLIP

HARRIS DELPHENE  
HATFIELD HANNAH COOPER  
HATFIELD TREVOR LEVI

HEAD AMY DELORIS  
HILL TYWON ALICE  
HOLLEY ELISANIA

JACKSON TYRIQUS ANTWAIN  
JIMENEZ-MIEVES CHEYLIANN  
JONES VAN ALLEN

LEK LINDA  
LINCOLN RACHEL LYNNE  
LOPEZ MALDONADO KEISHLA

KRISTINE  
LOVETT ELAINE POWERS  
LUCAS AMANDA MARIE

MACK SAMANTHA LAKAY  
MCDONALD VINCENT WADE  
MCNABB NATORIA SHAKIE

MEDINA CASSANDRA LYNN  
MILLER MARQUIS DIANDRE  
MOCK SHELTON MACK

MOORE LOUIS EVAN  
ONEAL ANNIE ELAINE  
ORTIZ SPROLITO MATTHEW

ALEXIS  
PASSMORE BEATTY RAY  
PATEL MITULBHAI

MUKESHKUMAR  
PATEL SANGITA U  
PATEL UMESH R

PERKINS LEAH PAIGE  
PIERSON DINITA  
REYNOLDS KATRINA SHREE

REYNOLDS YALONDA ROSHONG  
RHODES MEGAN DANIELLE  
RORIE JENNIFER MARIE

ROSA TOREY  
ROYSTER MIXON  
SANFORD JOUNQUEZ ANWAR

SANFORD KELSEY JO  
SCOTT QUINTEZ J  
SHIPMAN DEMAREA KAZUELL

SIMMONS TAMARA LASHAWN  
SNELL LENORA ELIZABETH  
SORRELLS TERRI LYNN

TELLECHEA FLORENTINO III  
THORNTON DERRICK D  
TRIMBLE ALLYSON NICOLE

TURMAN JOSEPH CARL  
TWITTY GWENNEL HARRIET  
VERDEJO-DEJESUS NILO

WASHINGTON CURT  
WILKERSON STEPHANIE MYRIE  
WORCESTER MICHAEL DEE

YOUNG DALE ALVAN JR

**Precinct District 6**

**Precinct Number 600**  
**YMCA**

ADDY STEPHEN CHRISTOPHER  
BAILEY BENJAMIN DAVID  
BERNABE PABLO PEREZ JR

BLUNT DYLAN LEE  
BONHAM BRANDON LEE  
BONHAM EVELYN ALLISON

BOOKER ANDREW TYLER  
BOOKER SAMANTHA ANN  
BOSTON ANTHONY DILLON

BOWDOIN AMY FARRIS  
BRESLIN JOSEPH MICHAEL  
BROWN AMY ELIZABETH

BRUNSON SHIRLEY ISABEL  
BRUSSEAU CASSANDRA MOLINA  
BRUSSEAU JORDAN THOMAS

BULLARD ANNA CARA  
BURCHETT JAMES DANIEL  
CAPPS JAMES C

CARL CATHERINE TAYLOR  
CARTER IMANI MICHAH DEMETRICE  
CASTILLO KARELIA IBETH

CEA CAROLINA  
CHALKER JOSEPH BRADEN  
CHAPMAN GARY EUGENE II

COLBERT WILLIAM JOSEPH  
CREEL DANNY COLTON  
CURRIE MARION HEIKE

DIAZ DAVID DENNIS  
EDWARDS JEREMY WADE  
ELDREDGE BRIAN ESTEBAN

FACIANE ALTHA LEE  
FAULKNER CHRISTIE GARRETT  
FAULKNER GRAYSON SAMUEL

FLEMING JOSEPH H  
FOSTER VICTORIA WHITEHURST  
FULCOMER LOURDES SOFIA

GREEN RICKEY TOMORRIS  
HAMILTON GREG ALAN  
HARPER CARMEN FRANCIS

HEIM BRADLEY KENT  
HELMS JACKIE LEON  
HESELSTINE ELIZABETH NEWTON

HESELSTINE JOSHUA MICHAEL  
HIBBS MICHELLE TWITTY  
HIGGS AUSTYN

HILL CAMERON MICHELLE  
HINKLE ARTHUR WAYNE  
HOPKINS ALYSON CHRISTINE

HOPKINS KYLE ROBERT  
HOWARD TYLER MARSHALL  
HUBATCHEK DANIELLE JUSTINE

JOHNSON BARBARA RENEE  
JOHNSON MARC KINZA  
JORDAN CARLA LURLINE

JORDAN CHRISTINA LYNN  
JORDAN JASON SCOTT  
JOWERS DENNIS EDWIN

JOWERS NANCY KILPATRICK  
KAGAWA MARIBEL LEO MO  
KAGAWA WILLIAM HENRY

KAMINSKI CHRISTOPHER MARK  
KENT KIMBALL ALLAN  
KIMBALL JUDITH WARNER

KIMBALL KENT ALLAN  
MARSHALL AMY CAUTHEN  
MARSHALL ELIZABETH ASHLEY



CHURCH NEWS

Pastor's Corner

MINISTER PHILIP BOX  
ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST

A dead church presents no threat to Satan!  
We must be alive and active for Jesus!

The nature of God motivates us to serve Him. God is worthy of human service simply because of who He is! There are two sources of information regarding Almighty God.

First, there is the revelation of nature, which shows the wisdom and power of His Deity. (Psalm 19:1) God's power is seen in His many acts of creation. The evidence is so strong that those who fail to conclude from that evidence that "God is" are "without excuse." (Romans 1:20) In addition to the book of nature, there is the revelation of Scripture, the Bible.

The Bible teaches that God is infinitely wise. (Romans 11:33-36) He is loving, and benevolent. (1 John 4:8, Ephesians 2:4) The gift of His Son to provide for our redemption should motivate us to surrender our life to Him. God is worthy of human service on the basis of His own nature. "I will call upon the LORD, who is worthy to be praised; so shall I be saved from mine enemies." (Psalm 18:3)

Walk with God every day and but your life in is hand!

NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH  
3819 COUNTY ROAD 330  
ELBA, AL 36323

SUNDAY SCHOOL - 9:45 A.M.  
MORNING SERVICE - 11:00 A.M.  
SUNDAY EVENING - 6:00 P.M.  
WEDNESDAY EVENING - 7:00 P.M.  
PRAYERMEETING / BIBLE STUDY

LISTEN TO US ON THE  
REACHING HANDS BROADCAST  
WELB 1350 AM - 8:00 A.M.  
EVERY SUNDAY MORNING

"GOD IS IN THIS PLACE"  
- PLEASE JOIN US -

Church News is Due  
on Mondays!

Newbia Baptist Church plans Spring  
Revival services for March 22nd-24th

Newbia Baptist Church will host a Spring Revival from March 22nd - March 24th at the church, located at 3819 County Road 330, outside of Elba.

Brother Cliff Quincey, New Home Baptist Church of Enterprise, will be the guest speaker for the revival services, which begin Sunday evening, March 22, at 6 p.m. and continue Monday

evening, March 23, and Tuesday evening, March 24, at 7 p.m. these nights.

Everyone is invited to attend.

For more information, contact Pastor Will Jordan at (334) 308-7510.

Round and About with  
Eria's Daughter

(334) 897-3611



Scripture: Trust in the salvation of the Lord. [Psalm 13: 1-6]

Thinking of You! Praying for You.

Uncle Buddy Pitts, Alice Musgrove, Tillis/Brown Families, Tony Brown, Roy Fitch, Ree-nita Brooks, Kimberly Kelley, Emily Newman, Georgia Nelson

March Birthdays / Anniversaries

Emily Newman 3/1  
EHS Students 2007 Tornado 3/1 (In Memory)  
Tina Neal 3/1  
Rev. W.L. Peterson 3/2  
Amelia Carpenter 3/2  
Chris West 3/2  
Brandon / Eliza Kelley 3/2  
W.A.  
Cleva M. Davis 3/3

St. Mark Baptist Church, Glenwood, Ala.

will be celebrating its Pastor's 10th Anniversary Appreciation on Sunday, March 1, at 1:30 p.m. The guest speaker will be Rev. Charlie Sankey Jr, pastor of Rockwest Missionary Baptist Church, Goshen, Ala. Everyone is invited to attend.

The 5th Annual Women of Purpose

Women's Conference will be held Saturday, March 7, at 10 a.m. at the Southeast District Singing Convention Building, County Road 377, Elba. Mistress of Ceremony will be Shalawn Owens; Conference Teacher will be Sis. Dorothy Tillis of Mt. Chapel Missionary Baptist Church in Andalusia, Ala.;

The Elba Ministerial Alliance

meets at Subway the first Thursday of each month at 8:30AM. If your church is not already a member we extend an invitation, we are also trying hard to build community relationships and would like to invite your nonprofit to come and tell us what you're doing.

For more information call

334-897-2057

poused the revolutionary concept of equal pay for equal work and women's rights to keep their own earnings. Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, while supporting suffrage, saw this as part of a larger class struggle which included all workers, and, in her impatience for change, joined the communist party in 1937. She died in Moscow in 1964. - The Story of America, The Reader's Digest Association Inc., Pleasantville, New York

Question / Answer Section  
Q/A for the Week of 2/20/2020

Multiple Choice

Q: In the midst of wrath, what did Habakkuk ask God to remember? (justice), (mercy), (rain)  
A: Habakkuk asked God for mercy. [read Habakkuk 3: 2]

Q: Which part of Habakkuk's body quivered? (heart), (hand), (lips)

A: Habakkuk's lips quivered. [read Habakkuk 3: 16]

Thought to Remember  
Jesus:

God's Power in Action

Questions for the Week of 2/27/2020

True or False

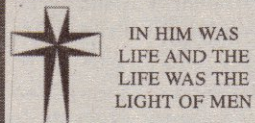
Q: God speaking through the Prophet Ezekiel, associated filthiness (impurity) with idol worship.

Q: When the people looked back on their evil ways, they would loathe themselves.

Today is a good day! Be grateful.

Eria's Daughter, Sue

Church Directory



IN HIM WAS  
LIFE AND THE  
LIFE WAS THE  
LIGHT OF MEN

ABOUNDING GRACE  
COMMUNITY CHURCH  
Rocky Pearce, Pastor  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

ABUNDANT LIFE  
CHURCH SAMSON, Ala.  
Richard Thorn Sr., Pastor  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Wed. Night Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

ALBERTON BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH  
Sam Self, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

BETHELAME CHURCH  
Rev. Deborah A. Butler, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

BETHLEHEM BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:30 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Class . . . 6:30 p.m.

BETHANY BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Greg Cotter, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Disciple Train . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Even. Worship . . . 6:30 p.m.

BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Tom Senn, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

BROOKLYN BAPTIST CHURCH  
Robert Davis, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

CHESTNUT GROVE METHODIST  
Rev. Remonia Smith  
Church Service . . . 9:00 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays

CORNERSTONE BIBLE  
CHURCH  
Larry Mills, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Night . . . 7:00 p.m.

COVENANT COMMUNITY  
CHURCH

Diana White, Pastor  
Bible Study . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Fellowship . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Wed. Night (Youth Real Deal and Children's Activities) . . . 6:00 p.m.

DAMASCUS BAPT. CHURCH  
Steve Watson, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

DORCAS BAPTIST CHURCH  
Dale Morgan, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Discipleship Training . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, Wed. . . 7:00 p.m.

EANON BAPTIST CHURCH  
Mark Ward, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:15 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Phillip Box, Minister  
Bible Study . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:30 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD  
David Noble, Pastor  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:45 a.m.  
Even. Worship . . . 5:00 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY  
H.L. Buckner, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Night . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Thur. Night . . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE  
TABERNACLE  
Allen Richards, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA 1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD  
Dwight Johnson, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:30 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

ELBA 1st BAPTIST CHURCH  
Tom Anderson, Interim Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Steve Reneau, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Services . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPT. CHURCH  
Lovell Martin, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

EVANGELIST TEMPLE  
CHURCH OF GOD IN  
CHRIST

Timothy Williams, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:30 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

FAIRVIEW BAPT CHURCH  
Garry Winstead, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 7:30 p.m.

FAITH CHAPEL  
COMMUNITY CHURCH  
Phillip Adeock, Pastor  
Sunday Morning . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD -  
KINSTON  
Danny Bradshaw, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 7:00 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Scott Donaldson, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS  
CHURCH  
Edward E. Drake, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m.

GODS POWER HOUSE  
EVANGELISTIC CHURCH.  
Overseers - Bro Billy Berry  
Sat. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Sun. Service . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 4:00 p.m.

GREATER NEW ZION  
BAPTIST CHURCH  
Willie L. Peterson, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
1st & 3rd Sundays

HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC  
W. K. Ellison, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

HAM UNITED METHODIST  
CHURCH  
Rev. Steve Reneau, Pastor  
Morn. Worship . . . 8:45 a.m.

HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF  
GOD  
Shirley Ellis, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

HEBRON BAPT. CHURCH  
Mark Cooper, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.  
Wed. Even. Meeting . . . 7:00 p.m.

MT. GILEAD BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Dewey Emfinger, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

MT. OLIVE BAPT. CHURCH  
Olan Strickland, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting . . . 7:00 p.m.

INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Wesley D. Ard, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting . . . 6:30 p.m.

INO BAPTIST CHURCH  
Garry Winstead, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 8:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meeting . . . 6:30 p.m.

JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD  
Matthew Morris, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 7:15 p.m.

KINSTON 1st BAPT CHURCH  
Ben Posey, Pastor  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

LOVE'S WAY CHURCH  
Charles Jones, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CHURCH OF  
CHRIST  
Greg Hanchey, Minister  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Randall Pearson, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:00 p.m.

NEW GLORIUS CHURCH  
OF GOD IN CHRIST  
James Starks Jr., Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Bib Stud Wed . . . 6:00 p.m.

NEW HAVEN BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:30 p.m.

NEW HAVEN ASSEMBLY  
OF GOD CHURCH  
Brad Sasser, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPT CHURCH  
Lanny Shepard, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

NEW PHILADELPHIA  
CHURCH OF GOD IN  
CHRIST  
Lorearl Flowers, Minister  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays

NEW VERNON ASSEMBLY  
OF GOD  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

Cathedral of the Holy Spirit  
NEW ABUNDANT LIFE DEL.

Linda Williams, Pastor  
Sunday . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Even. . . 7:30 p.m.

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH  
OF GOD IN CHRIST -  
ENTERPRISE  
W. K. Ellison, Pastor  
Morning Worship . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Tuesday Evening . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Friday Evening . . . 7:00 p.m.

NEWBIA BAPTIST CHURCH  
Will Jordan, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Disciple Train . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Night Services . . . 7:00 p.m.

NEW BROCKTON METH-  
ODIST  
Dr. Craig Bailey, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:30 p.m.

NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Terry Godwin, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Bible Study . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Thurs. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Randall Pearson, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:00 p.m.

NEW GLORIUS CHURCH  
OF GOD IN CHRIST  
James Starks Jr., Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Bib Stud Wed . . . 6:00 p.m.

NEW HAVEN BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:30 p.m.

NEW HAVEN ASSEMBLY  
OF GOD CHURCH  
Brad Sasser, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPT CHURCH  
Lanny Shepard, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

NEW PHILADELPHIA  
CHURCH OF GOD IN  
CHRIST  
Lorearl Flowers, Minister  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays

NEW VERNON ASSEMBLY  
OF GOD  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

OAK GROVE BAPT. CHURCH

Julian Mitchell, Pastor  
1st, - 4th Sun. Morn.  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

OLD TABERNACLE UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH  
Lee Jones, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

PERDUE ASSEMBLY OF GOD  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

PINEY GROVE AS-  
SEMBLY OF GOD - SAM-  
SON  
Terry McCrummen, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Worship . . . 7:00 p.m.

PRaise & GLORY  
WORSHIP CENTER  
Roy L. Turner, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

ROCKY HEAD M.B.  
CHURCH  
A. R. Williams, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.  
2nd & 4th Sundays

ROETON BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 7:00 p.m.

SHADY GROVE AME  
James Boots, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Praise Service Mon 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m.

SHILOH BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 4:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:30 p.m.

TAYLOR HILL  
COMMUNITY BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Wed. Night Service . . . 5:00 p.m.

THE CHURCH OF JESUS  
CHRIST  
Pastor Bishop E.H. Hill  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Noon Worship . . . 12:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Youth Ser. Mon. . . 7:00 p.m.  
Wed Bible Class . . . 7:00 p.m.  
Fri Missionary Ser. . . 7:00 p.m.

THE WAY OF HOLINESS  
CHURCH, Elba  
Max Reed, Minister  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:30 a.m.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

C.P. Davis, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Night Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

VANDERBILT HOLINESS  
CHURCH  
Donald Mills, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Night Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

VICTORIA BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Shayne Allen, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:45 p.m.  
Wed. Worship . . . 7:00 p.m.

VICTORY TABERNACLE  
Ruby Lawson, Pastor  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 7:00 p.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Ken Wilson, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:30 p.m.

WHITEWATER BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 6:30 p.m.

WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF  
GOD  
Kenneth Hagler, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service . . . 7:00 p.m.

WOODLAND GROVE  
BAPTIST CHURCH  
Donnie Marler, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:30 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Meet . . . 7:00 p.m.

WOOTEN CHAPEL AS-  
SEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH  
Mike Medley, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Even. Service . . . 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m.



## Coffee County's Sample Ballots for Tuesday, March 3, Primary Elections

## SAMPLE BALLOT

This is a common ballot, however, some offices will appear only in certain precincts which will apply to your districts.

**OFFICIAL BALLOT**

**REPUBLICAN PRIMARY AND CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ELECTION**  
COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA  
MARCH 3, 2020

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE VOTER**

TO VOTE YOU MUST BLACKEN THE OVAL ☐ COMPLETELY ☒ IF YOU SPOIL YOUR BALLOT, DO NOT ERASE, BUT ASK FOR A NEW BALLOT.

<b>CANDIDATE OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES</b> (Vote for One) I hereby declare my preference for candidate for the office of President of the United States and for delegates pledged to such candidate to be as follows: <input type="radio"/> DONALD J. TRUMP <input type="radio"/> BILL WELD <input type="radio"/> UNCOMMITTED <b>FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> STANLEY ADAM <input type="radio"/> BRADLEY BYRNE <input type="radio"/> ARNOLD MOONEY <input type="radio"/> ROY MOORE <input type="radio"/> RUTH PAGE NELSON <input type="radio"/> JEFF SESSIONS <input type="radio"/> TOMMY TUBERVILLE <b>FOR UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE, 2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> THOMAS W. BROWN, JR. <input type="radio"/> JEFF COLEMAN <input type="radio"/> TERRI HASDORFF <input type="radio"/> TROY KING <input type="radio"/> BARRY MOORE <input type="radio"/> BOB ROGERS <input type="radio"/> JESSICA TAYLOR <b>FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT, PLACE NO. 1</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> GREG SHAW <input type="radio"/> CAM WARD <b>FOR COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS JUDGE, PLACE NO. 2</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> PHILLIP BAHAKEL <input type="radio"/> MATT FRIDY <b>FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS JUDGE, PLACE NO. 1</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> MELVIN HASTING <input type="radio"/> MARY WINDON <b>FOR COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS JUDGE, PLACE NO. 2</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> JILL GANUS <input type="radio"/> BETH KELLUM <input type="radio"/> WILL SMITH <b>FOR PRESIDENT, PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TWINKLE ANDRESS CAVANAUGH <input type="radio"/> ROBIN LITAKER <b>FOR MEMBER, COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSION, DISTRICT NO. 2</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> JOSEPH M. "Mike" BAILEY <input type="radio"/> KIM ELLIS	<b>INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTE FOR DELEGATE CANDIDATES</b> Votes for delegate candidates pledged to someone other than the voters' choice for President ARE NOT ALLOWED UNDER REPUBLICAN PARTY RULES. The names of unopposed delegates do not appear on the ballot. <b>FOR DELEGATES TO THE 2020 REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION, STATE AT LARGE</b> <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 1</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> KAY NEY <input type="radio"/> JIM ZEIGLER <b>UNCOMMITTED DELEGATES</b> <input type="radio"/> S MARK BOOTH <input type="radio"/> TIM HUDDLESTON <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 2</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> STEVEN KING <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 3</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> AMERICA CROSS CARSWELL <input type="radio"/> DONALD TRENT JONES <input type="radio"/> TOM PARKER <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 4</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> JAMES "Jim" BENNETT <input type="radio"/> MARGARET S. CLARKE <input type="radio"/> CHAD HANSON <input type="radio"/> DANNY PERRY <input type="radio"/> WILL SMITH <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 5</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> STEVEN KING <input type="radio"/> J.T. "Jabo" WAGONER <input type="radio"/> WELD DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> KELLY DONN SCHULTZ <input type="radio"/> KATHLEEN ZIMMERMAN	<b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 6</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> DOTTIE KEMP BEAVER <input type="radio"/> JAMES DEAN <input type="radio"/> WILLIAM M. (Bibi) DUNN <input type="radio"/> JAMES HENDERSON <input type="radio"/> GENE PIATKOWSKI <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 7</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> BOB BACCUS <input type="radio"/> CARLA KING <input type="radio"/> JOE LOVORN <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 8</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> LINDA EVANS BACCUS <input type="radio"/> ARNOLD MOONEY <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 9</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> DONA BARNES <input type="radio"/> CAM WARD <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 10</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> BETHANY BUSENLEHNER <input type="radio"/> BEN HARRISON <input type="radio"/> PERRY HOOPER <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 11</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> DENNIS H. BEAVERS <input type="radio"/> COLIN LUKE <input type="radio"/> CINDY C. MONAGHAN-HOLCOMB <input type="radio"/> LARRY SIMS <b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 12</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> GINGER MCCORD BARBEE <input type="radio"/> DEANNA FRANKOWSKI <input type="radio"/> JAMES MATHEWS <b>CONTINUE VOTING ON BACK</b>
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THIS OFFICE RUNS BY DISTRICT

<b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 13</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> CHUCK CLARKE <input type="radio"/> GREG COOK <input type="radio"/> GREG FANN <input type="radio"/> ALVA M. LAMBERT <input type="radio"/> GRADY H. THORNTON	<b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 21</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> MICHAEL BROOKS <input type="radio"/> VICKIE EVANS FULLER <input type="radio"/> CHARLES KNIGHT <input type="radio"/> MARSHALL YATES	<b>DELEGATES, PLACE 2, 2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> CLARE H. AUSTIN <input type="radio"/> JEANA BOGGS <input type="radio"/> ED FOY
<b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 14</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> VICKI SELF BAILEY <input type="radio"/> CHRIS BROWN	<b>STATEWIDE DELEGATES, PLACE 22</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> JOHNNY AMARI <input type="radio"/> ROBIN HINES FOY <input type="radio"/> ELBERT PETERS	<b>DELEGATES, PLACE 3, 2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT</b> (Vote for One) <input type="radio"/> TRUMP DELEGATES <input type="radio"/> RENE CRONIER <input type="radio"/> CHRIS SELLS
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## SAMPLE BALLOT



**WELCOME TO ELBA, COACH...**Elba City Schools Superintendent Chris Moseley(left) gave Coach Marc Sieving (right) the official "welcome to Elba" handshake Tuesday evening, Feb. 18, following the Elba Board of Education meeting where board member unanimously voted to approve Sieving's hire as Elba High School's new physical education teacher, head football coach, and athletic director. Following the vote, Sieving addressed the board and those in attendance for the meeting, and he assured all that he is familiar with the traditions and expectations for Elba's football program. He said he knows winning championships is part of those traditions and expectations, and that was a motivating reason for him wanting the job. Sieving comes to Elba from Dauphin Junior High School in Enterprise, Ala., where he spent the past six years as the head football coach of that junior high program. He said he is excited to become an Elba Tiger.

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Additional scenes from the Elba Recreation sponsored "The Magic of Nutrition" Healthy Living Expo....



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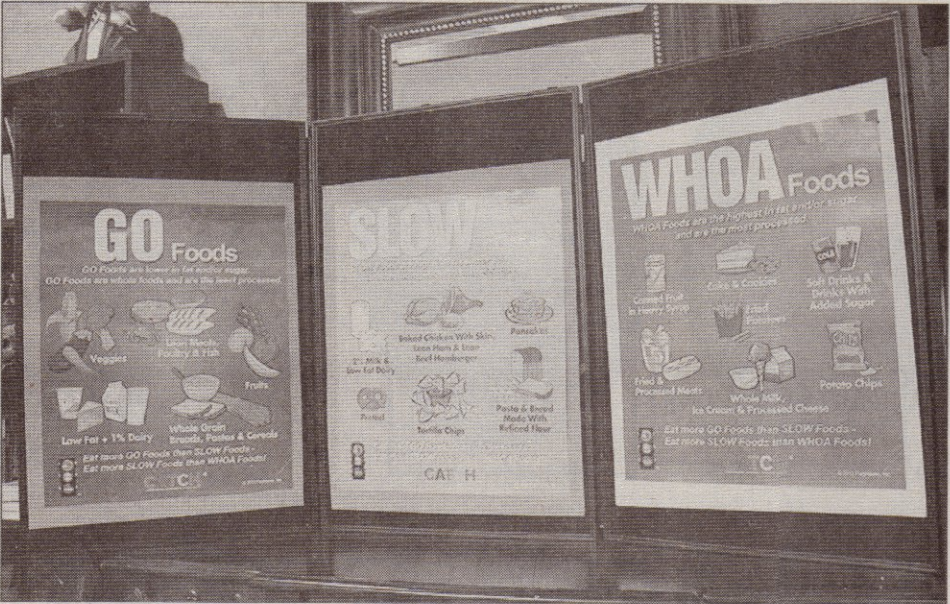
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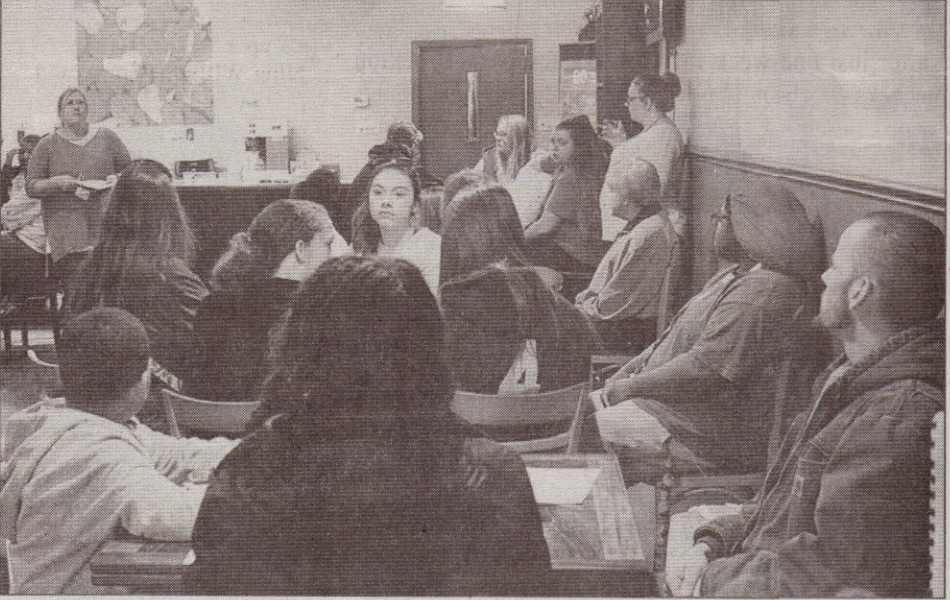
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The Coffee County Extension agency partnered with the Elba Recreation Department for last Saturday's healthy living expo held in downtown Elba. Above, one of the extension agents demonstrates a "healthy" way to make chili by sharing a three bean chili recipe with a group of about 40 attendees. The overall consensus was the chili was quite tasty.



Information boards, such as this, were strategically placed during healthy living expo to help educate attendees about the good and bad of foods consumed on a daily basis. The idea of the expo was to promote healthy eating.



This group of attendees for last Saturday's healthy living expo not only learned more healthy ways to prepare foods, but they all left with several free gifts just for coming to the event. Above, the group learns about a fruity way to spice up their daily water intake. This demonstration was held in the former Just Folk Coffeehouse location. Other locations that hosted demonstrations included the Elba Public Library and Elba Senior Citizens Center. The Elba Chamber of Commerce also hosted a walking tour early in the day, and executive director Sandy Bynum said she had a great crowd for the tour.



Involving children was a big part of last Saturday's healthy living expo. Above, the youngsters line up to receive their free gifts after an "exercising" demonstration.

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This "add more veggies" demonstration last Saturday at the Elba Sr. Center showed attendees how to make a veggie-filled dish.



## SPORTS NEWS

Views From  
The Pressbox

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

Our grandson Lawson has entered the world of arithmetic at school and had to get some special lessons from his Nanny one day last week as he began to work word problems. The trick was top know which problem to solve first, and once he learned that the rest came easy. While arithmetic has changed to mathematics over the years, sometimes the old ways are still the best when it comes to teaching.

## For what it is worth....

\*\*\* The Elba Lady Tigers saw their wild ride through the basketball season hit a dead end this week when they lost in the opening round of the Final Four to top-ranked Spring Garden. The Lady Tigers fell behind by double digits early in the second quarter and was never able to get any close than 11 points over the remainder of the game as they ended the historic season with a 23-8 record. While the players and fans were disappointed to see the season end, one game doesn't define this teams season and one loss certainly does not take away from the school record wins they posted.

\*\*\* The Elba Tigers opened their baseball season last week with an 8-3 road loss to Geneva, but Coach Glen Johnson was encouraged despite the loss and is convinced once the team can settle into a solid practice routine and avoid the rain, the Tigers will be just fine and be a contender. The Tigers have depth on the mound, which is rare, and return plenty of players that should make a difference in the long run. So, hopefully before long the Tigers will settle in and begin to play like a winner.

\*\*\* Next year's state basketball tournament will remain in Birmingham, despite the fact the Legacy Arena will be closed for a multi-million dollar upgrade. The tournament will be split at the Bartow Arena, at UAB, and the Bill Harris Arena over at the Crossplex, and while neither spit is as big as the Legacy Arena, by splitting the tourney up it might actually be better. I know the Legacy Arena is located downtown is the state's largest non-collegiate arena, but the fact schools from across the state have to go all the way to Birmingham, fight the state's worst traffic and spend the night due to the early starting times of some games. Money talks, and Birmingham desperately wants it's downtown to become a destination for visitors, but it simply is not the most fan friendly place for such a large event.

\*\*\* The high school baseball season started last week and after just one week it looks like the New Brockton Gamecocks may be a 2A power and the Zion Chapel Rebels may be ready to return to their winning ways from years ago. The Gamecocks clobbered 5A Carroll 18-2 to make an early statement, while the Rebels dismantled Kinston 17-0 to let their fans know it may be a fun season ahead. The rainy weather played havoc with many games both in baseball and softball, but this week's forecast is sunny weather and maybe we will know more a week from know about the scenery in both sports in the local area.

\*\* SCHEDULES \*\*  
Baseball / Softball

## Thursday, Feb. 27

(Baseball)

Samson at Elba  
New Brockton, in Tourney  
Daleville at Kinston  
Zion Chapel at Pike County

(Softball)

Straughn at Elba  
New Brockton at Goshen  
Slocomb at Kinston  
Zion Chapel at Pike County  
Highland Home at Brantley

(Softball)

Zion Chapel, in Slocomb  
Tourney

## Monday, March 2

(Baseball)

Elba at New Brockton  
McKenzie at Zion Chapel (DH)  
Brantley, in ES Alabama  
Tourney

(Softball)

Highland Home at Elba

## Friday, Feb. 28

(Baseball)

Elba at Zion Chapel  
New Brockton, in Tourney  
Brantley at Luverne (DH)  
(Softball)  
Zion Chapel, at Slocomb  
Tourney

## Tuesday, March 3

(Baseball)

New Brockton at Daleville  
Kinston at Zion Chapel  
(Softball)  
Luverne at Elba  
New Brockton at Geneva  
County

Opp at Kinston

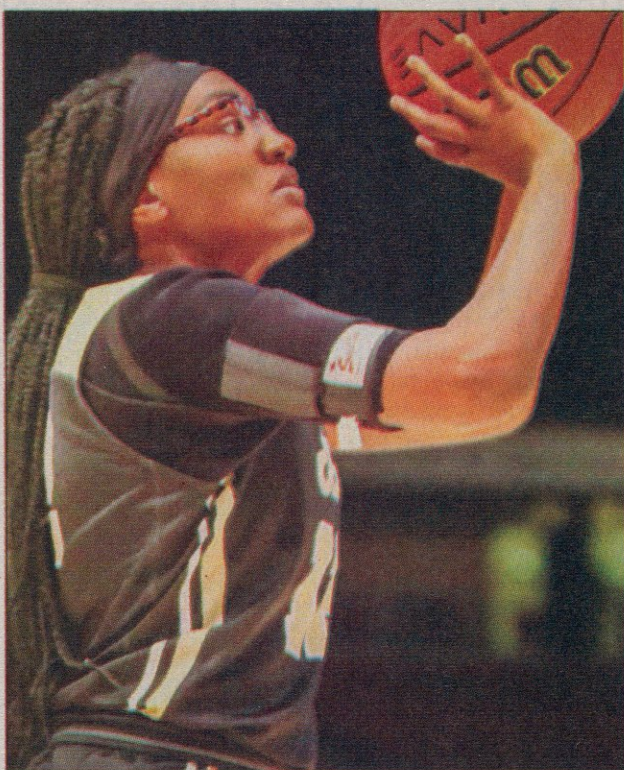
Arton at Zion Chapel

Straughn at Brantley

## Saturday, Feb. 29

(Baseball)

New Brockton, in Tourney



Elba Lady Tiger Melissa Williams bounced back from a shoulder injury to score 8 points and grab 5 rebounds in this week's Final Four clash with Spring Garden.

(Photo by BC Sports Photography)

Lady Tigers ousted in  
Final Four opener

The Elba Lady Tigers saw their historic season come to an end Monday morning with a 56-35 loss to the top-ranked Spring Garden Lady Wildcats, at the AHSAA Class 1A State Basketball Tournament, in Birmingham.

The Lady Tigers pulled even at 2-2 early in the semifinal clash on a basket by Jaylin Baker, but Spring Garden canned three-pointers on its next two trips down the court to grab an 8-2 lead, and while Elba did get within 8-4 with 5:16 left in the opening quarter on a short jumper by Melissa Williams, the Lady Wildcats added two more three-pointers late in the stanza to open up a 16-6 advantage.

Nina Williams converted a three-point play early in the second quarter to close the deficit to 16-9. However, Spring Garden answered with an 8-0 run over the quarter's next three minutes to take a 24-9 lead with 5:12 still left in the half.

Melissa Williams and Jaylin Baker combined for all eight Elba points in the closing four minutes of the quarter, but were unable to put a dent in the Lady Wildcats lead and at the half went in trailing 30-17.

The Lady Tigers matched the Lady Wildcats basket for basket in the opening moments of the third quarter

and were still down by 13 points at 34-21 with 6:27 remaining in the stanza after a basket by Melissa Williams, only to watch Spring Garden extend its lead to 45-25 late in the quarter to take complete command.

A basket by Jaylin Baker was the only points the Lady Tigers put on the scoreboard over the initial seven minutes of the fourth quarter as Spring Garden pushed its lead to 56-29, and while Nina Williams and Breanna Sanders both drained long three-pointers in the closing minute, it was too little, too late, as the Lady Tigers saw their season end with the 56-35 defeat.

Jaylin Baker scored 10 points, grabbed 8 rebounds and blocked 3 shots to lead Elba, while Melissa Williams added 8 points and 5 rebounds, Freeda Hooks added 8 points and 2 steals, Nina Williams added 6 points and 4 rebounds and Breanna Sanders added 3 points, 8 rebounds and 6 blocked shots.

Sophomore Neeley Welsh scored 30 points and grabbed 11 rebounds to spark Spring Garden.

S.P. (56): Austin 7, reedy 9, Kirk 2, Adkison 2, Welsh 30, McKay 3, Rogers 3.

Elba (35): Baker 10, N. Williams 6, M. Williams 8, Sanders 3, Hooks 8.

Elba Tigers drop baseball  
opener to Geneva 8-3

The Elba Tigers opened their baseball season last week with a disappointing 8-3 road loss to the Geneva Panthers.

Elba went three up and three down in the opening three innings, while Geneva combined one hit with one walk and one Elba error to plate two runs in the bottom of the first inning to grab an early 2-0 lead.

The Tigers finally put a runner on base in the top of the fourth when John Martin Wilson led off the inning with a double. However, the next three Tiger batters all went down on strikes as Martin was left stranded.

Paxton Wise was hit by a pitch with one out in the top of the fifth and moved to second when Collin Sauls reached on a fielder's choice. Both runners moved up a base on a ground out, and both raced home when Iverson Lane delivered a two-run, two-out single to pull Elba even with Geneva at 2-2.

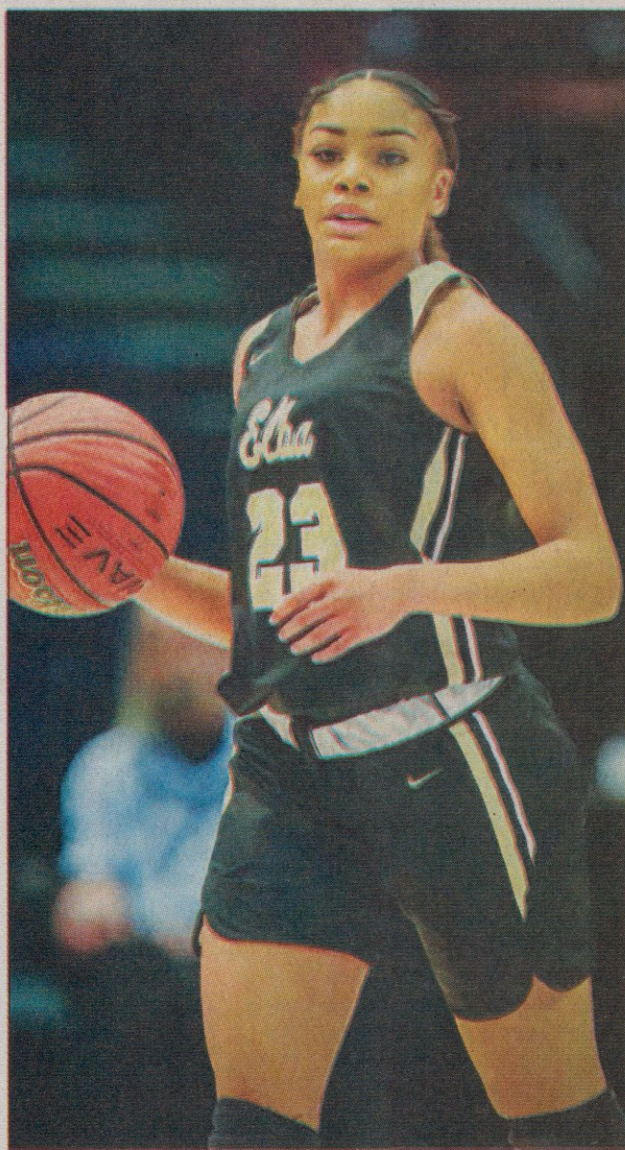
The game didn't stay tied for long; however, as

Geneva combined 2 hits with 3 walks and an Elba error to plate four runs in the bottom of the frame to plate four runs and open up a 6-2 lead after five innings of play.

The Panthers added two runs in the bottom of the sixth on one hit, two walks and one hit batter to push their lead to 8-2, and while the Tigers did add a single run in their final at-bat when Paxton Wise reached on a walk, went to second on a one out fielder's choice, went to third on a single by Iverson Lane, and finally crossed the plate on a bases loaded walk to Carson Wise, the Tigers left the bases loaded as the late rally fell far short as Elba dropped its opener 8-3.

Iverson Lane had 2 hits to lead Elba at the plate, while Connor Burrow and John Martin Wilson both added 1 hit and Paxton Wise scored 2 runs.

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Elba Lady Tiger Freeda Hooks looks for a path to the basket as she dribbles upcourt in Monday's Final Four loss to Spring Garden.

(Photo by BC Sports Photography)



Elba Lady Tiger Jaylyn Baker eyes the basket after pulling in a rebound. Baker scored 10 points, grabbed 8 rebounds and blocked 3 shots in Monday's Final Four loss to Spring Garden.

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## FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 2 P.M. CST

BANK ORDERED .88+/- Acres Commercial Lot (Clanton, AL)

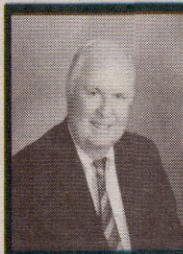
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## Coffee County Arts Alliance set to bring band Diamond Rio to perform March 10th in Enterprise, Ala.

The Coffee County Arts Alliance and Center Drugs & Home Health will present Diamond Rio in concert Tuesday, March 10, at the Enterprise High School Performing Arts Center at 7 p.m.

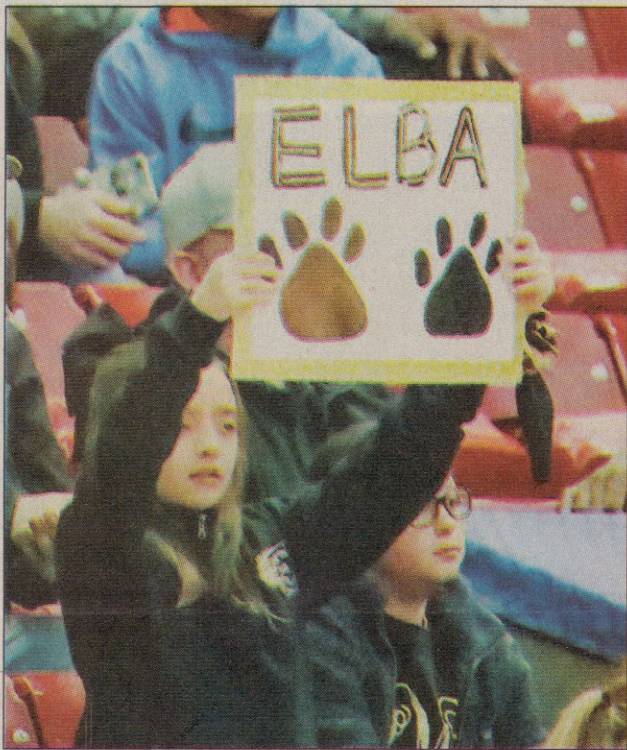
Diamond Rio is an American country music band that plays a hybrid of modern country, traditional bluegrass (especially in the harmony singing), and a hint of rock and roll. Later works are influenced by Christian country and country pop.

Hits include "Norma Jean Riley", "God Only Cries", "Mama Don't Forget to Pray for Me", "Meet in the Middle", "How Your Love Makes Me Feel", "One More Day", and "I Believe".

For tickets or information, visit the website at [www.CoffeeCountyArtsAlliance.com](http://www.CoffeeCountyArtsAlliance.com) or call (334) 406-2787. Individual tickets purchased in advance are \$30 for adults and \$10 for students; purchased at the event, tickets will be \$35 for adults and \$10 for students.

Tickets also can be purchased at David's Westgate Beauty Salon and Redbrick Pizza in Enterprise.

The 2019-2020 season is dedicated to the memory of Dr. Emmett T. Brunson.



**SUPPORTING THE LADY TIGERS...**Elba fan Taylor Day was among the Elba fans that made the trip to Birmingham early Monday, Feb. 24, to support the Elba Lady Tigers in the Class 1A Basketball State Semi-finals. Elba's trip to the Final Four was a first in school history for the Lady Tigers.

(photo by BC Sports Photography)

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## SPORTS NEWS

### Zion Chapel Bass Team members Avery Padgett and Ethan Young finish 3rd place at Feb. 15th tourney on Lake Eufaula

Although the Zion Chapel Bass Team did not fish for a few weeks in the dead of winter, it did not mean the youngsters were asleep.

During those few weeks, they busied themselves with a couple of fundraisers. Congrats to Ken Eifert for winning the \$500 Troy Sports certificate on Friday, Jan. 31, 2020. Then on Saturday, Feb. 15, at the Eufaula tournament, Dustin Stinson's name was drawn from the Yeti 35 Cooler, the prize for the second fundraiser.

Both drawings were done on Facebook Live. The team appreciates the support of their friends, families, and community in their fundraising efforts.

During the tournament hiatus, some members of the ZC Bass Team enjoyed practice fishing, primarily at Lake Eufaula.

On Sunday, Feb. 9, some of the team members were at Lake Eufaula and met several of the pros who were having their Major League Fishing Stage One 2020 Tournament. Meeting these pro anglers inspired the ZC anglers to keep hitting the water trying out new techniques and a variety of bait options.

On Saturday, Feb. 15, the ZC Team was back at their most familiar lake, Lake Eufaula, to compete in the second of four tournaments on the Tiger Trail for the BASSMASTER High School Series. There were 141 high school teams fishing this tournament.

The weather conditions (cold, but sunny) and the amount of fishing that had taken place on the lake in the last few weeks had the anglers concerned about how the fish would bite. However, two of the ZC Teams were able to catch fish.

The team of Kaleb Devos/Trevor Lee caught three fish weighing in at 7.12 pounds. This placed them 27th out of 141 teams.

The team of Avery Padgett/Ethan Young caught the limit of five fish weighing in at 17.82 pounds; they also caught the third largest fish weighing in at 6.60 pounds. They finished in third place overall out of 141 teams. This finish qualifies them for the state championship at Lake Demopolis, June 6-7.



On Sunday, Feb. 9, some of the Zion Chapel BASS team members were at Lake Eufaula and met several of the pros who were having their Major League Fishing Stage One 2020 Tournament. Pictured above is: Kevin Dowdy; Major League Fishing Stage One 2020 Tournament winner Jacob Wheeler; Avery Padgett; and Ethan Young.

According to the latest release from the Alabama BASS Nation, the ZC Team ranks in fourth place in the Six-Man Tournament.

The ZC Bass Team offers congratulations to G. W. Long senior Sam Shiver who recently signed with Faulkner University to join their bass team later this year. Like Zion Chapel, this has been the initial season for the G. W. Long team to participate in the tournament trail.

Follow the ZC Team as they compete again in the Tiger Trail Tournament March 14 at Lay Lake.



On Saturday, Feb. 15, the ZC Team was back at their most familiar lake, Lake Eufaula, to compete in the second of four tournaments on the Tiger Trail for the BASSMASTER High School Series. The team of Avery Padgett/Ethan Young finished in third place overall out of 141 teams. Pictured above: Annsley Padgett, Avery Padgett, and Ethan Young.

## BOE

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"Our board is charged with making decisions that are in the best interest of our students and student achievements," Moseley said. "A statewide school start date would compromise the Elba City School system's academic calendar and force students to lose instructional time prior to standardized testing."

Moseley said local decisions about the school calendar directly impact the students and faculty, and he feels the best decision is for the local boards to continue to set their own calendar regarding start and/or end dates.

In approving the resolution during Tuesday's meeting to oppose legislation placing the school start date in the hands of the state rather than the local systems, the Elba Board of Education members united in saying "Elba City Schools' academic calendar is an education priority and not a business or tourism decision."

The resolution asked policymakers to leave the calendar authority at the local level, and they further asked lawmakers representing Elba City Schools and its citizens to vote against any bill which proposes to outline a statewide start and/or end date for Alabama public schools.

Moseley said a copy of the resolution would be recorded in the meeting's minutes, as well as, provided to the Alabama Association of School Boards, each member of its Legislative delegation, and the Governor.



On Saturday, Feb. 15, at Lake Eufaula, competing in the second of four tournaments on the Tiger Trail for the BASSMASTER High School Series, the team of Kaleb Devos and Trevor Lee caught three fish weighing in at 7.12 pounds, finishing 27th in the tourney. Pictured above is Kaleb Devos and Trevor Lee.

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